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OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 1939

Moderator—Frank E. Barrows.

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes—Jack L. Martin.

Auditors—Arthur G. Burbank, Norman V. Holmes, Kenneth E. Shaw.

Selectmen—Arthur W. Peterson (1942), Earl B. Ware (1941), Bernard W. Roby (1940).

Board of Public Welfare—Selectmen.

Assessors—William M. Shaw (1942), Arthur H. Wade (1941), Ralph E. Washburn (1940).

Highway Surveyor—Frank F. Weston.

School Committee—Winston B. Leach (1942), Clyde D. Griffith (1941), Russell E. Shaw (1940).

Park Commissioners—Frank E. Barrows (1942), James S. McKay (1941), Levi T. Thomas (1940).

Cemetery Commissioners—Ralph L. Linton (1942), Frank E. Barrows (1941), James H. Peckham (1940).

Library Trustees—Myrtle L. Atwood (1942), A. Viola Griffith (1942), Henry M. Shaw (1941), Marjorie E. Telfer (1941), Elthea E. Atwood (1940) William M. Shaw (1940).

Constables—Edwin E. Bisbee, A. John Halunen, Myron H. Hayden.

Town Director—County Aid to Agriculture—Almira C. Holmes.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers—Edwin E. Bisbee, A. John Halunen, Myron H. Hayden.

Fence Viewers—Jesse A. Holmes, Arthur W. Peterson, Ernest W. Shaw.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood—Frank H. Cole, Jesse A. Holmes, Frank F. Weston, Norman V. Holmes.

Tree Warden—John F. Tubman.

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Inspector of Animals—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Inspector of Slaughtering—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Forest Warden and Gypsy Moth Superintendent—John F. Tubman.

Special Police Officers—Myron H. Hayden (on permanent duty), A. John Halunen, William H. Stoddard (Town Property), Thomas Kenney, Homer Griffith, Walter L. Ellis, John W. Morse, Francis D. Barry, (Private Property).

Public Safety Committee—Myron H. Hayden, Neil D. Murray, Warren L. Chandler.

Finance Committee—Terms expire in 1942: William I. Ward, William E. W. Vaughan, Harrison W. Jordan, Carroll D. Griffith, Neil D. Murray. Terms expire in 1941: Joseph W. Bradford, Thomas H. Reynolds, Roger Williams, John B. Bourget, Perez L. Shurtleff. Terms expire in 1940: Andrew F. Griffith, Almira C. Holmes, Eldred S. Mosher, Russell E. Appling, Frank H. Cole.

CONDITION OF THE TOWN TREASURY
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DEC. 31, 1939

Assets

Cash	\$31,468.70	
Outstanding Taxes 1939	6,909.38	
Outstanding Taxes 1938	375.71	
Outstanding Excise Taxes 1939	228.89	
Chap. 81, due from State	2,808.75	
Chap. 90 Maintenance due from State	21.01	
Chap. 90 Maintenance due from County	21.00	
	<hr/>	\$41,833.44

Liabilities

Temporary Loan		
In anticipation of reimbursement	\$5,000.00	
Overlay for 1939	426.86	
Overlay for 1938	116.23	
Overlay Reserve	1,406.40	
Unpaid bills of 1939	2,182.70	
Unexpended accounts	318.15	
Florenz Pina account balance	5.50	
Central cemetery fund	15.00	
Balance	32,362.60	
	<hr/>	\$41,833.44

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer.

ARTHUR G. BURBANK,
KENNETH E. SHAW,
NORMAN V. HOLMES,
Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer

Dr.

1939

Jan. 1. Balance from 1938 \$21,163.08

Received from Commonwealth:

Highways Chap. 81, 1938

Contract 3119 \$2,357.68

Highways Chap. 81,

Contract 3296 6,940.42

Highways Chap. 90 Purchase St. 624.88

Highways Chap. 90 East

Head Rd. 450.79

Highways Chap. 90 Maintenance

Contract 7074 978.62

Highways Chap. 232 Acts of

1939 7,072.68

Income Taxes 6,607.92

Corporation Taxes, business 35.39

Loss of Taxes 201.69

Old Age Assistance 4,647.34

Aid to Dependent Children 107.34

Temporary Aid and

Transportation 323.05

Dept. of Public Health Subsidy 82.86

High School Transportation 4,421.48

School Superintendent,

Small Towns 644.44

Tuition of children 1,149.91

\$36,646.49

U. S. Grants Old Age Assist.

(assist.) 5,656.38

U. S. Grants Old Age Assist. (admin.)	188.50	
	<hr/>	5,844.88
U. S. Grants Aid to Dep. Children (Aid)	309.97	
U. S. Grants Aid to Dep. Children (Admin.)	11.02	
	<hr/>	320.99
County of Plymouth,		
Chap. 90 Purchase St.	374.21	
Chap. 90 East Head Rd.	267.65	
Chap. 90 Maintenance	978.62	
Land Damage High & Brook Sts.	246.80	
Dog Fund	276.57	
	<hr/>	2,143.85
Fourth District Court, fines		74.60
Myrtle L. Atwood, library fines		10.65
Town Clerk, Marriage fees	48.00	
Sporting license fees	36.75	
Dog licenses fees	33.00	
Miscellaneous fees	10.00	
Chattel Mortgage fees	20.03	
	<hr/>	147.78
Town Clerk, Dog fund		380.00
Town Clerk, Sporting License fund		339.50
Wm. E. W. Vaughan, Pratt School Fund		111.00
Town of Plymouth, Public Welfare	426.29	
Whitman, Public Welfare	95.55	
Mattapoisett, Public Welfare	421.32	
Wareham, Public Welfare	106.38	
Randolph, Old Age Assist.	7.50	
Middleboro, Old Age Assist.	41.33	
Middleboro Schools	222.20	
Middleboro Police Dept.	3.60	
	<hr/>	1,324.17
City of Fall River, Public Welfare	\$102.46	
City of New Bedford, Public Welfare	66.16	
	<hr/>	\$168.62

Cemetery Funds,

Robert F. Shurtleff	100.00	
Benjamin Robbins	150.00	
Albert C. Bradford	100.00	
Mary Braddock	100.00	
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		450.00
Leslie M. Woodward, Central Cemetery Lot		15.00
Frank E. Barrows, Central Cemetery Lot		
(Henry Andrade)		15.00
Director of Standards, Pedlar's Licenses		36.00
Town History		2.25
Florence Pina, for care at Plymouth County		
Hospital		300.00
Insurance Refunds		30.42
Insurance for Damage to Town property		10.00
Unclaimed checks		60.00
Dr. L. M. Chase, refund Old Age Assistance		5.00
Plymouth Savings Bank, Tax Titles redeemed		181.29
Cemetery bills, perpetual care		511.55
Sealer's fees, weights and measures		21.58
Sale of calcium chloride		2.50
Milk licenses		8.75
Lord's Day permits		12.00
Gasoline Renewals		19.00
Victuallers' Licenses		6.00
Fireworks Permits		2.00
Pedlar's license		5.00
Auctioneer's license		1.00
Garage licenses		20.00
Tax Collector		
Poll and property taxes 1937	552.43	
Poll and property taxes 1938	7,004.34	
Poll and property taxes 1939	67,363.14	
Interest on Poll and property		
taxes	295.62	
Demand fees	53.20	
Motor Vehicle Excise taxes 1937	11.76	
Motor Vehicle Excise taxes 1938	88.86	

Motor Vehicle Excise taxes 1939	3,131.29	
Interest on excise taxes	2,36	
	<hr/>	78,503.00
Middleborough Trust Co., Revenue Loan		25,000.00
Middleborough Trust Co., Anticipation of Reimbursement loan		5,000.00
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		\$178,892.95
Cr.		
Selectmen's Orders		\$75,189.11
School Orders		31,928.02
Division of Fisheries and Game		339.50
County of Plymouth—Dog fund		380.00
Cemetery Bills perpetual care		511.55
Motor Vehicle Excise refunds		84.22
Plymouth County Hospital		435.50
Sale of Central Cemetery Lot		15.00
Robert F. Shurtleff, Cemetery fund		100.00
Benjamin Robbins, Cemetery fund		150.00
Albert C. Bradford, Cemetery fund		100.00
Mary Braddock, Cemetery fund		100.00
Middleborough Trust Co., Revenue Loan		25,000.00
Interest on Revenue Loan		68.75
Interest on Anticipation of Reimbursement Loan		11.25
Middleborough Trust Co., check book		12.00
Director of Accounts Note fee		4.00
County Tax		4,768.88
State Tax		8,100.00
State—Parks and Reservations		108.69
State—Veterans' exemption		17.78
Balance Dec. 30, 1939		31,468.70
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		\$178,892.95

LIBRARY FUNDS

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal. of Inc.
		Jan. 1 1939	year	year	Dec. 31st 1939
Rosa A. Cole	\$1,000.00	\$63.32	\$32.14		\$95.46
M. P. S. Jowitt	100.00	16.46	2.62		19.08
	<u>\$1,100.00</u>	<u>\$79.78</u>	<u>\$34.76</u>		<u>\$114.54</u>

PARKWAY FUNDS

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal. of Inc.
		Jan. 1 1939	year	year	Dec. 31st 1939
Sarah McFarlin	\$100.00	\$24.49	\$2.81		\$27.30
	<u>\$100.00</u>	<u>\$24.49</u>	<u>\$2.81</u>		<u>\$27.30</u>

LICENSES AND PERMITS

MILK LICENSES (\$0.25 and \$0.50)

Theron Bumpus	Manuel Centeio
Alex Johnson	Myrtle L. Atwood
Otto Salmi	Henry S. Pink
Andrew Palm	John B. Bourget
Charles Kallio	Frank Halunen
Cora Thomas	Maurice Robbins
John W. Morse	Elias Erickson
A. R. Parker Co. (50c)	Harrison W. Jordan
Edwin Blake	Theron Bumpus
Andrew Eames	Florence Cole
Standish Farm Dairy (50c)	N. A. Sherman (50c)
Swante Halunen	Alexander McLure
Lewis W. Jenney	Florence Weston
James S. McKay	Earl E. Boardway
Manuel G. Thimas	Walter Carmichael
F. Martin Thomas	Frank Laine

LORD'S DAY PERMITS (\$1.00)

Joseph Barros (2)	Walter Carmichael
Roger Williams	Emma E. Roby
John O. Eaton	Ernest Gonsalves
Lewis W. Jenney	H. W. Jordan
John B. Bourget	George Paulding
Manuel Centeio	

GASOLINE RENEWALS (\$1.00)

Henry S. Pink, 1938—39	Lewis W. Jenney, 1939
John B. Bourget, 1938—39	Joseph Moreau, 1939
H. W. Jordan, 1938—39	Walter Carmichael,
Wenham Garage, 1938—39	1938—39
Roger Williams, 1939	Bessie M. Griffith, 1938—39
John O. Eaton, 1939	Emma E. Roby
Arnold Adams, 1938	Ellis D. Atwood

VICTUALLERS (\$3.00)

C. G. Norcross	I. Blanche Murphy
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FIREWORKS PERMITS (\$1.00)

Walter Carmichael	Ernest Gonsalves
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CONDITION OF CEMETERY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

CENTRAL CEMETERY

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc. Jan. 1 1939	Inc. for year	Exp. for year	Bal. of Inc. Dec. 31st 1939
John B. Hatch	\$100.00	\$3.19	\$3.11	\$3.13	\$3.17
Wilson Shaw	100.00	3.46	3.13	3.28	3.31
Clara M. Benson	100.00	3.45	3.13	4.56	2.02
E. L. Griffith	100.00	2.67	2.31	2.63	2.35
Isaac Vaughan	200.00	5.59	4.64	5.41	4.82
Catharine L. Gray	75.00	2.57	2.33	2.38	2.52
Betsy C. Look	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.63	2.81
D. W. Nash	100.00	2.89	2.58	2.63	2.84
Isaac Shaw	100.00	3.68	3.13	2.66	4.15
Linus Shaw	100.00	3.03	2.59	2.75	2.87
Theodore T. Vaughan	200.00	6.71	6.23	6.41	6.53
L. A. F. Baker	150.00	5.02	4.69	4.91	4.80
Sarah S. Nash	100.00	3.69	3.13	3.25	3.57
John A. Thomas	100.00	2.98	2.32	2.91	2.39
Horatio A. Lucas	100.00	2.86	2.32	2.66	2.52
Eben S. Lucas	100.00	3.28	3.11	3.16	3.23
Aravesta B. Shaw	100.00	3.39	3.11	3.16	3.34
Thomas Vaughan	200.00	5.79	4.64	5.41	5.02
James A. Vaughan	200.00	5.62	4.64	5.16	5.10
Albert T. Shurtleff	200.00	5.43	4.63	4.91	5.15
Benjamin Shurtleff	100.00	2.78	2.32	2.41	2.69
John Snow	100.00	2.30	2.31	2.00	2.61
Central Cemetery	95.00	3.25	2.54	3.00	2.79
Fred A. Dimond	50.00	1.58	1.16	1.50	1.24
Edward Watson Shaw	100.00	.75	3.03	.75	3.03
	\$2,970.00	\$88.82	\$79.71	\$83.66	\$84.87

LAKENHAM CEMETERY

Jennie E. Robbins	\$100.00	\$38.93	\$4.19	\$4.50	\$38.62
Augustine Shurtleff	100.00	3.10	3.11	*2.91	3.30
Theron M. Cole	100.00	2.12	2.31	2.25	2.18
Morse & Dunham	200.00	28.95	6.90	8.60	27.25
Cobb & Barrows	100.00	3.45	3.13	3.25	3.33
N. M. Ransome	200.00	19.12	6.62	15.20	10.54
Edward W. King	100.00	2.63	2.31	2.75	2.19
Levi Cobb	100.00	.41	3.02	.25	3.18
L. & A. R. Eames	100.00	2.87	2.32	2.75	2.44
Joseph R. Sherman	100.00	4.33	2.35	3.75	2.93
Joseph W. Sherman	100.00	2.79	2.58	2.75	2.62
Gustavus L. Swift	200.00	25.04	5.08	6.00	24.12
Mary A. Shurtleff	100.00	2.93	2.58	2.75	2.76
Henry Sherman	130.00	7.64	4.15	6.50	5.29
Joseph B. Rickard	150.00	17.52	5.06	7.40	15.18
Lafayette Braddock	100.00	9.46	2.46	7.60	4.32
E. T. Stetson	200.00	198.91	12.03	22.10	188.84
Rosa A. Cole	1,000.00	24.62	30.95	30.60	24.97

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc. Jan. 1 1939	Inc. for year	Exp. for year	Bal. of Inc. Dec. 31st 1939
James Dunham	100.00	4.26	3.14	3.25	4.15
Chase & Barrows	100.00	7.31	3.23	6.75	3.79
George P. B. Atwood	100.00	3.14	2.33	3.15	2.32
Lakenham Cemetery	105.00	6.35	3.30		9.65
Timothy Cobb	50.00	2.75	1.58	2.50	1.83
Thomas Tillson	100.00		2.77		2.77
James W. Griffith	100.00	1.00	3.05	1.00	3.05
Mary D. Braddock	100.00				
Albert C. Bradford	100.00				
Benjamin W. Robbins	150.00		.75		.75
	<u>\$4,185.00</u>	<u>\$419.63</u>	<u>\$121.30</u>	<u>\$148.56</u>	<u>\$392.37</u>

*\$1.16 of this amount expended on Lot in Central Cemetery.

UNION CEMETERY

Hannah P. Richards	\$100.00	\$74.78	\$3.94	\$3.00	\$75.72
Rufus L. Richards	100.00	53.88	3.46	3.00	54.34
Irene A. Bent	100.00	25.06	2.82	3.00	24.88
Alexander Law	100.00	4.15	2.35		6.50
Eliza A. Bowers	200.00	16.65	4.89	4.00	17.54
Thomas B. Griffith	1,000.00	253.75	34.54	31.53	256.76
Hannah B. Shaw	1,000.00	93.51	24.73		118.24
Marcus Atwood	200.00	135.98	10.15	4.00	142.13
Charles W. Griffith	500.00	149.49	19.63	36.85	132.27
Philander W. Bump	100.00	33.58	4.03	4.00	33.61
Ellis Griffith	200.00	123.79	9.77	29.85	103.71
Albert W. Perkins	100.00	41.71	4.27	5.00	40.98
Joseph Pratt	500.00	599.36	33.22	24.00	608.58
Ebenezer Smith	100.00	15.30	2.60	3.00	14.90
John A. Winberg	100.00	1.71	3.07		4.78
Olive B. Leonard	100.00	45.34	4.39	4.00	45.73
Charles Donnelly	100.00	10.57	3.33	3.00	10.90
Sarah McFarlin	100.00	8.72	2.45	2.00	9.17
Stephen Atwood	200.00	22.54	6.71	5.00	24.25
John J. Barrows	100.00	7.37	3.23	3.00	7.60
Lucius Atwood	100.00	7.71	2.43	2.50	7.64
Frank F. Tillson	100.00	12.81	2.54	3.50	11.85
Clarence H. Knowlton	100.00	14.87	3.45	3.50	14.82
Wilfred A. Tillson	100.00	9.47	2.46	2.50	9.43
Josiah W. Atwood	200.00	15.52	4.87	5.00	15.39
Oren Atwood	200.00	13.53	4.82	5.00	13.35
Lothrop A. Hayden	100.00	5.88	2.65	2.50	6.03
Samuel A. Shurtleff	200.00	10.75	5.29	5.00	11.04
Stillman Shaw	150.00	3.85	3.46	3.50	3.81
Samuel Shaw	150.00	4.71	3.49	3.00	5.20
Henry C. Washburn	100.00	12.78	3.39	3.00	13.17
Jane G. Burgess	100.00	13.29	3.41	3.00	13.70
Alfred M. Shaw	100.00	11.64	3.37	2.50	12.51
Ephraim Griffith	100.00	2.49	3.09	2.50	3.08
Charles A. Perkins	200.00	21.47	5.00	3.00	23.47
A. Sampson Perkins	100.00	7.53	2.42	2.50	7.45
Henry M. Gammons	100.00	2.92	2.32	2.50	2.74

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc. Jan. 1 1939	Inc. for year	Exp. for year	Bal. of Inc. Dec. 31st 1939
John S. Atwood	100.00	5.90	2.38	2.50	5.78
Andrew M. Bumpus	100.00	3.13	2.33	2.50	2.96
Alice G. Shaw	100.00	7.78	2.43	2.50	7.71
Mildred V. Wallace	100.00	6.17	2.40	2.50	6.07
Ellis D. Atwood	200.00	29.41	6.92	3.00	33.33
Alton H. Griffith	100.00	2.57	3.09	2.50	3.16
S. Dexter Atwood	200.00	15.08	4.86	3.00	16.94
Hugh R. Bailey	200.00	20.29	4.98		25.27
Eli Southworth	100.00	5.69	2.38	2.50	5.57
Peleg McFarlin	100.00	2.70	3.09	3.00	2.79
Elijah H. Thomas	130.00	8.09	3.12	3.00	8.21
Cobb & Shurtleff	1,000.00	44.72	31.56	9.70	66.58
Preston Manter	100.00	4.33	3.14	1.50	5.97
Frederick Anderson	100.00	3.15	2.33	2.50	2.98
Robert F. Shurtleff	100.00		.50		.50
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	\$9,930.00	\$2,047.47	\$317.55	\$263.93	\$2,101.09

WENHAM CEMETERY

Mary E. Forbes	\$100.00	\$16.82	\$2.63	\$3.20	\$16.25
Reuben Sherman	100.00	4.82	2.36	2.60	4.58
Julia F. Hammond	100.00	4.36	2.35	3.20	3.51
Sarah A. Hammond	100.00	7.09	3.23	3.20	7.12
Henry T. Hammond	100.00	15.43	3.49	3.20	15.72
Eliza C. Dunham	100.00	3.14	2.33		5.47
Alfred Cole	200.00	1.00	6.08		7.08
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	\$800.00	\$52.66	\$22.47	\$15.40	\$59.73

SUMMARY

Central	\$2,970.00	\$88.82	\$79.71	\$83.66	\$84.87
Lakenham	4,185.00	419.63	121.30	148.56	392.37
Union	9,930.00	2,047.47	317.55	263.93	2,101.09
Wenham	800.00	52.66	22.47	15.40	59.73
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	\$17,885.00	\$2,608.58	\$541.03	\$511.55	\$2,638.06

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

PROPERTY TAXES

Year	6 Warrants	Collected	Refunds	Abated	Tax Titles	Outstanding Dec. 30, 1939
1939	\$74,661.98	\$67,345.50	\$17.64	\$358.21	\$31.25	\$6,909.38
1938	7,608.76	7,004.34		228.71		375.71
1937	667.81	552.43		115.38		

EXCISE TAXES

Year	5 Warrants	Collected	Refunds	Abated	Outstanding Dec. 30, 1939
1939	\$3,402.50 60.24	\$3,065.30	\$65.99	\$42.32	\$228.89
	Warrant of Jan. 11, 1939				
1938	30.62	88.27	.59	2.00	
1937	90.86 36.19	11.76		24.43	

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

EXCERPTS FROM TOWN MEETING RECORDS 1939

(March 7)

Voted to accept the following cemetery funds:

James W. Griffith	\$100.00
Edward Watson Shaw	100.00
Alfred Cole	200.00
Thomas Tillson	100.00

Voted that the dog fund be appropriated for the free public library account.

Voted that the vocational training appropriation be under the supervision of the School Committee.

The following report of the By-Laws Committee was read. It was voted not to adopt the recommendation.

Report of the By-Laws Committee

It has been brought decisively to the attention of this Committee that the Town should vote as to the advisability of carrying adequate fire and compensation insurance and we recommend that the Moderator appoint a committee of five to study the problem and report at the next annual town meeting.

After examining the by-laws of several towns of the size of Carver we find that at the present time the Carver By-Laws seem to cover our immediate needs.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. HARRIMAN,
RODNEY GRIFFITH,
THOMAS KENNEY,
EBENEZER A. SHAW.

(June 23)

It was voted to accept Chapter 403 of the Acts of 1936

amending the General Laws, Ter. Ed., Chap. 152, Section 69, so as to provide that "the terms laborers, workmen and mechanics, as used in Section 69 to 75 inclusive, shall include other employees, except members of a police or fire force, regardless of the nature of their work, of the town, to such extent as the town acting respectively through the qualified voters in the town shall determine, as evidenced by a writing filed with the Department of Industrial Accidents."

BIRTHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1939

Date	Name	Parents	Nativity of Parents
Jan. 1	James Milton Ellis*	Walter LeBaron Ellis Mabel Estelle Adams	Plymouth Plymouth
Jan. 5	Peter Bruce Shaw*	Henry Miller Shaw Catharine Hazel Hawkes	Middleboro McCook, Nebraska
Feb. 9	Shirley Anne Pina	Frank Jose Pina Mary Santos	Bakersfield, California Boston
Mar. 13	Nancy Ann Weston*	Winston Atwood Weston Florence Louise Gibbs	Carver Philadelphia, Pa.
Mar. 23	Carolyn Marie Marshall*	Clarence Morris Marshall Doris Marguerite Dionne	No. Truro Carver
Apr. 2	Domingos Ramos Pina	Manuel Mendes Pina Mary Anna Thatcher	Fogo, Cape De Verde Is. Carver
May 15	Robert Silva	Frank Silva Inez Silva	Fogo, Cape De Verde Is. Carver
May 22	Male		
June 9	Georgia Anne Goodreau*	Theodore Homer Goodreau Audrie Naomi Birdson	Carver Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
June 12	Carey Roy Halunen*	Carl Rudolph Halunen Helen Anne Mahata	Carver Boston
June 24	John Baptiste Maia	Manuel Lopes Maia Josephine Lopes	Fogo, Cape De Verde Is. Boston
July 22	Shirley Ann Kallio*	Toivo J. Kallio Elizabeth K. Tavernelli	Carver Plymouth
July 30	Anna Patricia Pina	Theodore Pina Amelia Perry	Cape Verde Isle New Bedford
Aug. 17	Bruce Sterling Jenney*	Lewis William Jenney Dorothy Ellen Perkins	Portland, Me. Brockton
Oct. 2	——— Bolduc*	Edward Homer Bolduc Phyllis Mary Callahan	Carver Brockton
Oct. 20	——— Williams*	Robert Delano Williams Ingrid Carlson	Carver Finland
Oct. 27	Janice Mosher*	Eldred Seldon Mosher Marjorie Dempsey	Carver Carver
Nov. 16	George Everett Thomas, Jr.*	George Everett Thomas Marjorie Christena Braddock	Carver Carver
Nov. 23	Arthur John Laine, Jr.*	Arthur John Laine Gula Grace Pease	Carver Plymouth

* Born in Hospitals

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE
YEAR 1939.

- Jan. 12 Abram Perry Avery, of Providence, R. I., and Janet Hill Shaw (Hill), of Providence, R. I.
- Jan. 21 Harry Emonds Washburn, and Gertrude Lynwood Nye (Mahler)
- Mar. 4 Kenneth Ralph Vickery, of Plymouth, and Lydia Edith Thomas.
- Apr. 16 Ralph Michael Corshia, and Gosolomina Ella Thompson, of Brockton.
- Apr. 16 Arthur John Laine, and Guilelma Grace Pease, of Plymouth.
- Apr. 20 Iraton Jacob Bumpus, and Sophie Katherine Zablocki, of East Bridgewater.
- May 21 Theodore Thomas Vaughan, and Florence Isabell Smith (Roby).
- May 23 Ilmar Nieminen, and Lisie Marianna Millukangas.
- May 27 Harold Earle Carleton, of Hanover, and Myrtle Williams Perkins.
- June 10 Nelson Albert Thomas, and Marguerite Marie Madelaine Cormier, of New Bedford.
- June 28 Daniel Emerson Dunklee, of Providence, R. I., and Doris Evelyn Mosher.
- July 8 William Chester Patrick, of Vermont, and Sylvia Anne Pentikainen.
- July 21 Toivo John Kallio, and Elizabeth Tavernelli, of Plymouth
- Sept. 2 George Everett Thomas, and Marjorie Christena Braddock.
- Sept. 17 Lloyd Joseph Thomas, and Madeline Louise Vickery.

- Sept. 30 Alfred Gilli, of Kingston, and Aune Marie Lammi.
- Sept. 30 George Elmer Young, Jr., of Stoneham, and Faith Margaret Atwood.
- Oct. 14 Philip Warren Munies, of New York, N. Y., and Martha Ann Shaw.
- Oct. 21 Eino Emil Penttinen, of Plymouth, and Gertrude Eva Niemi.
- Oct. 27 Roland Eugene Josselyn, and Hazel Marietta Shaw.
- Nov. 4 Albert Sirois, and Gertrude Levesque, of Fall River.
- Nov. 30 Harmon Cornish Brown, of Plymouth, and Elsie Howe Robbins.
- Nov. 30 Robert H. Pierce, of Duxbury, and Miriam A. Baker, of Duxbury.
- Dec. 26 Alfred Barros, and Anna M. Barrows (Ryan) (Lahaier)
- Dec. 30 Edward John Kangas, and Aldia Frances Barnes.
- Dec. 31 Frederick Alvin Wood, of Plymouth, and Flora Esther Shaw.

DEATHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1939

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Parents' Names
		Y.	M. D.		
Jan. 21	Orlando P. Griffith	66	10 6	Chronic Myocarditis	Ephraim Griffith and Mary Packard
Jan. 22	Robert Sulo Erickson	—	1 4	Asphyxia by aspiration of milk	Sulo Erickson and Irene Leach
Jan. 24	John Kenny	68	11 12	Acute Myocarditis	Thomas G. Kenney and unknown
Jan. 31	Manuel DeCosta	55	— —	Mitral Regurgitation	Francisco De Costa and Narcisa Lopes
Jan. 31	Ralph Corshia	76	4 4	Cerebral apoplexy	Ralph Corshia and unknown
Mar. 15	Nellie E. Chase	90	10 27	Arteriosclerotic Heart Diabetic Hemorrhage	Reubin R. Bruce and Lucy Weeks
Mar. 15	Marcia Anthony	62	9 17	Influenza	John Askar and unknown
Mar. 25	Henry Thompson Maxim	90	1 22	Cerebral hemorrhage	Henry Maxim and Bethia Atwood
Apr. 1	Gilbert Pinsoneault	70	1 4	Broncho-pneumonia	Francis Pinsoneault and Marie Perrier
Apr. 1	Emma E. Taylor	60	7 22	Art. scler. heart dis. auricular fibrillation bilateral br pneumonia	Alfred Brittain and Sarah Emery
Apr. 22	Laura Marency Bolduc	73	1 0	Pernicious Anaemia	Isaac Marency and Mary Laura Rioux

May	8	Mary Della Braddock	53	11	4	Mitral disease	Unknown Unknown
May	15	Richard Young	6	10	16	Leukemia, myelogenous	Herman L. Young and Dorothy M. Roby
June	14	Mary Eva Lewis	80	10	10	Cerebral apoplexy	Henry P. Lewis and Mary Ann Hawkins
July	14	Mary R. Sullivan	24	—	—	Automobile accident	James A. Sullivan and Catherine Donahue
Sept.	13	Louisa M. Alden	62	0	19	Intestinal grippé Ileus & peritonitis	Lucius Leonard and Martha Sime
Sept.	14	Amelia Bourgette	86	6	11	Chronic Myocarditis	Louis Boucher and Roselie Dion
Sept.	30	John Joseph McVey	72	—	—	Hydronephrosis	John McVey and Bridget Livingston
Oct.	2	Charles Everett Gray	78	11	6	Coronary embolism	Isaac Billings Gray and Unknown
Oct.	10	George E. Swan	85	4	10	Aortic regurgitation	George Swan and Sarah Marshall
Nov.	8	Charles F. Washburn	74	1	3	Heart disease, presumably coronary sclerosis	Marshall Washburn and Johanna Atwood
Dec.	2	Henry Andrade	59	—	—	Aneurysm of Aorta Acute Coronary Occlusion	Unknown Unknown
Dec.	27	John M. Rocha	54	—	—	Hypertensive Heart disease cerebral Hemorrhage	August Gones and Mar- Rogers
Dec.	28	George E. White	77	1	5	Coronary occlusion	Ira E. White and Sarah Pearl

HARBORERS OF DOGS IN THE YEAR 1939

Amado, Joseph S.	Holmes, Russell W.
Adams, Arnold B., (Spa. F.)	Holmes, William E.
Adams, Edward M.	Hudson, Alice E.
Aho, Mary (F)	Jenney, Lewis W.
Alorie, John (Spa. F.)	Johnson, Alex
Andrade, Henry J.	Johnson, Arne
Anthony, Leo	Jordan, Harrison W., (Kennel)
Andrews, Ida (Spa. F.)	Jussila, John
Appling, Henry E.	Kangas, Edward
Arponen, Aron	Kaski, Andrew
Atwood, Henry A., (Spa. F.)	Kelliher, Cornelius
Bailey, Donald H.	Laine, Arvo E., (2)
Barnes, Earl V.	Laine, Frank
Barnett, Richard A., (F.)	Lammi, Aune
Barros, Raymond	Leach, Ida
Battles, Louis E.	Lewis, Ernest G., (Spa. F.)
Bisbee, Edwin E.	Linton, Dorothy (Spa. F.)
Bishop, Lila	Lopes, Peter
Blake, Alfred	Lowe, Edward
Bolduc, Ammy (F.)	Mahler, Kenneth
Bolduc, Joseph A.	Majahad, Anthony M.
Bolduc, Leo (F.)	Maki, Toivo
Bourget, John B., (F. & Spa. F.)	Maki, John (Spa. F.)
Braddock, Arthur T., (F.)	Manseau, Adelard
Braddock, J. B.	McLure, Alexander C.
Braddock, Milton (Spa. F.)	Mendes, Mary (F.)
Bradford, Joseph W., (2)	Miller, Charles
Brier, Lewis	Morse, John W., (Spa. F.)
Bryant, Louis (Spa. F.)	Niemi, Carl
Carmichael, Ruth E.	Orzechowski, Adam
Carter, John	Paananen, Andrew
Chandler, Birt C., (F.)	Paananen, Arne (F.)
Cherry, Charles L.	Paananen, Arvo
Cole, Philip S., (F.)	Paulding, Bernice F.
Cole, Lawrence S.	Pementel, Ermina
Collins, Irene	Penti, Paul
Correia, Peter	Pignataro, John
Corshia, Joseph	Pratt, Lester E.
Costa, George	Raymond, Albert
Dowler, Regina M.	Raymond, Robert (F. & Spa. F.)

Dube, Mrs. Fred	Robbins, Mary S.
Dunham, Mrs. Winthrop	Robideau, Joseph (F.)
Eames, Andrew R.	Roby, Bernard W.
Enquist, Caroline	Rose, Manuel
Erickson, Elias	Salminen, Wayne
Ferdinand, Peter	Shaw, Curtis
Fernandez, Francisco	Shaw, Edward E. (2)
Fernandez, Manuel	Shaw, Ernest W.
Fowler, David W.	Shaw, John D.
Fowler, Stewart	Shaw, Miriam W.
Gammons, Alberta	Shaw, Russell E., Jr.
Garnett, Bessie M., (F.)	Sherman, Harrison B.
Garnett, Clarence	Shurtleff, Alton
Garnett, Melvin R.	Shurtleff, Albert
Gibbs, Mrs. S. B., (Spa. F.)	Shurtleff, Russell F., (F. & 3 M.)
Gomes, Fred	Silva, Domingo P.
Gomes, Louis	Shurtleff, Russell F., Jr., (F.)
Gomes, Manuel	Silva, Frank J.
Gomes, Philip	Silva, John
Griffith, Andrew F.	Silva, Manuel
Griffith, Carroll D.	Silva, Siverine
Griffith, Clyde D.	Telfer, Robert G.
Griffith, Hattie	Teixeira, Carlos D.
Griffith, Homer F.	Thimas, Henry G.
Griffith, Merton T., (Spa. F.)	Thimas, Manuel G., (Spa. F.)
Griffith, Rodney N.,	Thomas, Elizabeth L., (F.)
Hacking, John W.	Thomas, Ira (F.)
Halunen, Ellen (2)	Thomas, James E.
Halunen, Elsie (F.)	Thomas, Lena K., (F.)
Halunen, A. John	Thomas, F. Martin
Halunen, Frank S.	Tubman, John F., (F.) (M.)
Halunen, Verne	Wainio, Waino
Harju, Fiilus	Weston, Frank F.
Harju, William	Wilbur, Mrs. E. A.
Harriman, William H., (2 Spa. F.)	Winberg, Hattie D.
Holmes, Jesse A., (Spa. F.)	Wrightington, Olive (Spa. F.)
Holmes, Norman V.	Young, Herman

SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED IN 1939

Resident Citizens Fishing	37 @ \$2.00	\$74.00
Resident Citizens Hunting	50 @ 2.00	100.00
Resident Citizens Sporting	42 @ 3.25	136.50
Women and Minors Fishing	5 @ 1.25	6.25
Res. Cit. Minor Trapping	2 @ 2.25	4.50
Resident Citizens Trapping	8 @ 5.25	42.00
Non-Res. Special Fishing	1 @ 1.50	1.50
Non-Resident Fishing	2 @ 5.25	10.50
Duplicate Licenses	2 @ .50	1.00
Sporting Licenses Free	12	
	149	\$376.25
	Fees	36.75
		\$339.50

DOG LICENSES 1939—40

Total number of Licenses	165	
Males	125 @ \$2.00	\$250.00
Females	20 @ 5.00	100.00
Females—spayed	19 @ 2.00	38.00
Kennel	1 @ 25.00	25.00
	165	\$413.00
	Fees	33.00
	Paid County	\$380.00

REPORT OF AUDITORS ON THE CONDITION
OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1939

Dr.

Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$6,360.00	
		<hr/>	\$6,360.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$6,359.31	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	.69	
		<hr/>	\$6,360.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Dr.

Mar. 7	To App. Overdraft 1938	\$990.55	
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	9,000.00	
Dec. 8	To Appropriation	1,800.00	
		<hr/>	\$11,790.55

Cr.

Jan. 1	By Overdraft 1938	\$990.55	
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	10,799.88	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	.12	
		<hr/>	\$11,790.55

POLICE ACCT.

Dr.

Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$2,750.00	
		<hr/>	\$2,750.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$2,694.38	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	55.62	
		<hr/>	\$2,750.00

HEALTH ACCOUNT

Dr.		
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$2,200.00
Dec. 8	To Appropriation	575.00
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		\$2,775.00
Cr.		
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$2,775.00
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		\$2,775.00

TREE WARDEN ACCT.

Dr.		
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$800.00
		<hr/>
		\$800.00
Cr.		
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$799.12
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	.88
		<hr/>
		\$800.00

REMOVAL OF SNOW

Dr.		
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$900.00
Dec. 8	To Appropriation	500.00
		<hr/>
		\$1,400.00
Cr.		
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$1,390.22
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	9.78
		<hr/>
		\$1,400.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Dr.		
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$150.00
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		\$150.00
Cr.		
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$132.40
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	17.60
		<hr/>
		\$150.00

GYPSY MOTH ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$1,292.62	
		<hr/>	\$1,292.62
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$1,169.07	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	123.55	
		<hr/>	\$1,292.62

SOLDIER'S RELIEF ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$600.00	
		<hr/>	\$600.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$554.00	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	46.00	
		<hr/>	\$600.00

LIBRARY ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$450.00	
Mar. 7	Received from Dog Fund	276.57	
		<hr/>	\$726.57
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$725.40	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	1.17	
		<hr/>	\$726.57

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Mar. 7	To U. S. Grant	248.99	
		<hr/>	\$1,248.99
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$1,045.58	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	203.41	
		<hr/>	\$1,248.99

PARK DEPARTMENT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$300.00	
		<hr/>	\$300.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$297.42	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	2.58	
		<hr/>	\$300.00

AMERICAN LEGION ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$100.00	
		<hr/>	\$100.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$100.00	
		<hr/>	\$100.00

PLYMOUTH COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$100.00	
		<hr/>	\$100.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$100.00	
		<hr/>	\$100.00

SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$32,970.00	
Mar. 7	To Pratt Fund	111.00	
		<hr/>	\$33,081.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$31,928.02	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	1,152.98	
		<hr/>	\$33,081.00

CENTRAL CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$0.31	
		<hr/>	\$0.31
Cr.			
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	\$0.31	
		<hr/>	\$0.31

UNCLASSIFIED & MEMORIAL DAY

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$431.04	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	68.96	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

FIRE ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$258.48	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	241.52	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

ROAD MACHINERY ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$171.26	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	328.74	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

FIRE EQUIPMENT

Dr.

Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$665.00	
		<hr/>	\$665.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$664.62	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	.38	
		<hr/>	\$665.00

CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Dr.

Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$750.00	
Mar. 7	To Central Fence Acct.	90.00	
		<hr/>	\$840.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$839.55	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	.45	
		<hr/>	\$840.00

CENTRAL CEMETERY PURCHASE ACCOUNT

Dr.

Jan.	Balance on hand	\$5.00	
		<hr/>	\$5.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	Balance on hand	\$5.00	
		<hr/>	\$5.00

CENTRAL CEMETERY FENCE ACCOUNT

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$90.00	
		<hr/>	\$90.00

Cr.

Mar. 7	Transfer to Cemetery Acct.	\$90.00	
		<hr/>	\$90.00

REPAIR OF BRIDGES ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$433.28	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	66.72	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

INTEREST

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$150.00	
		<hr/>	\$150.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$80.00	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	70.00	
		<hr/>	\$150.00

OVERLAY ACCOUNT 1937

Dr.			
Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$445.99	
		<hr/>	\$445.99
Cr.			
Dec. 31	Abated	\$115.38	
Dec. 31	Balance to Overlay Reserve Acct.	330.61	
		<hr/>	\$445.99

OVERLAY ACCOUNT 1938

Dr.			
Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$344.94	
		<hr/>	\$344.94
Cr.			
Dec. 31	Abated	\$228.71	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	116.23	
		<hr/>	\$344.94

OVERLAY ACCOUNT 1939

Dr.			
Jan. 1	To Overlay for 1939	\$785.07	
		<hr/>	\$785.07
Cr.			
Dec. 31	Abated	\$358.21	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	426.86	
		<hr/>	\$785.07

OVERLAY RESERVE ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$1,225.79	
Dec. 31	From 1937 Overlay Acct.	330.61	
Dec. 31	From 1939 Reserve Acct.	350.00	
		<hr/>	\$1,906.40
Cr.			
Dec. 31	To Reserve Account	\$500.00	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	1,406.40	
		<hr/>	\$1,906.40

RESERVE ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	From Overlay Reserve	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	Transfer to P. W. A.	\$150.00	
Dec. 31	Revert to Overlay Reserve	350.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

GENERAL HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$900.00	
		<hr/>	\$900.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$891.60	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	8.40	
		<hr/>	\$900.00

1938 & 1939 CHAPTER 90 PURCHASE ST. ACCT.

Dr.

Mar. 8, 1938	To Appropriation	\$750.00	
Dec. 31, 1938	Received from State	823.55	
Dec. 31, 1938	Received from County	350.00	
Dec. 31, 1939	Received from State	624.88	
Dec. 31, 1939	Receiver from County	374.21	
		<hr/>	\$2,922.64

Cr.

Dec. 31, 1938	By Selectmen's		
	Orders	\$2,535.25	
Dec. 31, 1939	By Selectmen's		
	Orders	361.61	
Dec. 31, 1939	Revert to Treas.	25.78	
		<hr/>	\$2,922.64

CHAPTER 90 PURCHASE ST. 1939 APPRO.

Dr.

Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$2,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$2,000.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	Nullified by Assessors	\$2,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$2,000.00

1938 & 1939 CHAPTER 90, EAST HEAD ROAD

Dr.

Mar. 8, 1938	To Appropriation	\$1,250.00	
Dec. 31, 1938	Received from State	1,984.52	
Dec. 31, 1938	Received from County	950.00	
Dec. 31, 1939	Received from State	450.79	
Dec. 31, 1939	Received from County	267.65	
		<hr/>	\$4,902.96

Cr.

Dec. 31, 1938	By Selectmen's		
	Orders	\$4,356.41	
Dec. 31, 1939	By Selectmen's		
	Orders	512.44	
Dec. 31, 1939	Revert to Treas.	34.11	
		<hr/>	\$4,902.96

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

Dr.

Sept. 15	To Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Dec. 31	Received from State	978.62	
Dec. 31	Received from County	978.62	
Dec. 31	Due from County	21.00	
Dec. 31	Due from State	21.01	
		<hr/>	\$2,999.25

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Order	\$2,998.88	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	.37	
		<hr/>	\$2,999.25

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE U. S. Grant

Dr.

Dec. 31	To U. S. Grant	\$5,844.88	
		<hr/>	\$5,844.88

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$5,844.88	
		<hr/>	\$5,844.88

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TOWN

Dr.

Mar. 7	To Appro. Overdraft 1938	\$174.89	
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	7,000.00	
Dec. 8	To appro. from Surplus Revenue	600.00	
Dec. 31	Refund check	5.00	
		<hr/>	\$7,779.89

Cr.

Jan. 1	By Overdraft 1938	\$174.89	
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	7,538.59	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	66.41	
		<hr/>	\$7,779.89

SPECIAL HIGHWAY CHAPTER 500

Dr.			
Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$2,250.00	
		<u> </u>	\$2,250.00
Cr.			
Mar. 7	To Meadow St.	\$2,230.46	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	19.54	
		<u> </u>	\$2,250.00

CHAPTER 81

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$6,500.00	
Dec. 31	Received from State	6,940.42	
Dec. 31	Due from State	2,808.75	
		<u> </u>	\$16,249.17
Cr.			
Dec. 31,	By Selectmen's Orders	\$16,249.17	
		<u> </u>	\$16,249.17

PUBLIC SAFETY ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$150.00	
		<u> </u>	\$150.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$128.98	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	21.02	
		<u> </u>	\$150.00

OLD HOME DAY

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$200.00	
		<u> </u>	\$200.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$200.00	
		<u> </u>	\$200.00

W. P. A. ACCOUNT

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$88.43	
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	4,000.00	
Sept. 15	To Appro. from Surplus Revenue	1,000.00	
Dec. 16	Trans. from Reserve Acct.	150.00	
		<hr/>	\$5,238.43

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$5,175.34	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	63.09	
		<hr/>	\$5,238.43

BY-LAW COMMITTEE ACCOUNT

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$25.00	
		<hr/>	\$25.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	Balance on hand	\$25.00	
		<hr/>	\$25.00

WORK RELIEF ACCOUNT

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$150.81	
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	100.00	
		<hr/>	\$250.81

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$157.25	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	93.56	
		<hr/>	\$250.81

LAND DAMAGE BROOK & HIGH STREETS

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

Cr.

Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$491.82	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	8.18	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

LAND DAMAGE MEADOW ST.

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$100.00	
		<hr/>	\$100.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	\$100.00	
		<hr/>	\$100.00

WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$500.00	
		<hr/>	\$500.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$443.14	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	56.86	
		<hr/>	\$500.00

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACCOUNT

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$40.00	
		<hr/>	\$40.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$28.20	
Dec. 31	Revert to Treas.	11.80	
		<hr/>	\$40.00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FLAG

Dr.			
Mar. 7	To Appropriation	\$50.00	
		<hr/>	\$50.00
Cr.			
Dec. 31	By Selectmen's Orders	\$26.99	
Dec. 31	Balance on hand	23.01	
		<hr/>	\$50.00

ARTHUR G. BURBANK,
KENNETH E. SHAW,
NORMAN V. HOLMES,
Board of Auditors.

WELFARE REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of Carver :

We again are obliged to state that there is no decrease in Welfare, which is with us to stay for an indefinite period. While we lost six cases during the year we have taken on seven. From May to October nearly every one is able to obtain fairly steady employment, but for the balance of the year a large portion of our people find it hard to get work of any continuous nature. Almost without exception anyone who has to extend credit to persons not working require a guarantee that the Town will assume the obligation. This presents a problem difficult of solution. Children must be fed and kept warm, they must have medical attention when required, and if the parents can not receive credit, until such time as they obtain employment the Town must take care of them. This is a situation we are confronted with every Fall and Winter. In a period of two weeks eight applications for aid were received under these conditions. The cranberry industry, the backbone of our Town, only operates part time, and practically all of our cases are dependent on this work. The result,—soon after the close of the Season requests for relief come in. Each case is thoroughly investigated, a new history taken, and aid granted according to need. In no case is the Budget set up by the State exceeded. In every case it is less than recommended.

As of January 1, 1940, the State Relief Program re-organized, making some changes beneficial to the towns.

The opinion seems to be prevalent that assistance under Old Age is a pension for all those reaching sixty-five years. This is not the intent of the Law. It is to provide adequate assistance to citizens over sixty-five years old who have no other source of income, and does not relieve other members of the family of their obligations. Prior

to January 1st the Federal Gov't. reimbursed one half of a \$30.00 minimum on all Old Age Assistance cases, the State two-thirds of the balance, and the Town the remainder. As of Jan. 1, 1940, the amount on which the Federal Government will participate, at such 50%, was increased to \$40.00, and the State reimburses two-thirds of the balance, and the Town the remainder.

Prior to January 1st on Aid to Dependent Children cases the Federal Government reimbursed one-third, the State one-third, and the Town one-third. As of January 1st the percentage of Federal participation was increased to 50%—up to a “top” amount of \$54.00 a month.

Board of Public Welfare,

ARTHUR W. PETERSON,

Chairman.

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1939

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JUNE 13, 1938

Public Welfare	\$3,000.00	
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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, OCTOBER 17, 1938

W. P. A.	\$1,000.00	
General Highway	178.18	
Tree Warden	199.69	
	<hr/>	\$1,377.87

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 7, 1939

General Government	\$6,360.00
Unclassified & Memorial Day	500.00
Health	2,200.00
Public Welfare, Overdraft 1938	990.55
Public Welfare	9,000.00
Work Relief	100.00
Old Age Assistance, Overdraft 1938	174.89
Old Age Assistance	7,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,000.00
Soldiers' Relief	600.00
Police	2,750.00
Public Safety	150.00
Chapter 81	6,500.00

Purchase St., Chap. 90	2,000.00	
Road Machinery	500.00	
General Highways	900.00	
Bridges	500.00	
Removal of Snow	900.00	
W. P. A.	4,000.00	
Fires	500.00	
Fire Equipment	665.00	
Cemetery Account	750.00	
Parks	300.00	
Library	450.00	
Weights & Measures	150.00	
Tree Warden	800.00	
Gypsy Moth	1,219.62	
Schools	32,970.00	
Interest	150.00	
Aid to Agriculture	100.00	
American Legion, Rent	100.00	
Old Home Day	200.00	
Workmens' Compensation Insurance	500.00	
School Dental Clinic	100.00	
Vocational Training	40.00	
Flag for North Carver Green	50.00	
Land Damage on Meadow St.	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$85,270.06

Total Appropriation	<hr/>	\$89,647.93
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State Tax, 1939	\$8,100.00	
State Tax, 1938	4,050.00	
State Parks & Reservations, 1939	121.21	
State Parks & Reservations, 1938	7.04	
Veterans' Exemption, 1939	18.29	
Veterans' Exemption, 1938	1.25	
County Tax, 1939	4,768.88	
County Tax, 1938	10.15	
	<hr/>	\$4,779.03
Overlay		785.07
Gross Amount to be Raised		\$107,509.82

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Income Tax	\$6,976.19	
Corporation Taxes	1,674.31	
Re-imbusement, State Owned Land	201.69	
Motor Vehicle Excise, 1939	2,900.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise, 1937	1,300.00	
Licenses	150.01	
Fines	117.35	
Chapter 504, 1939	7,072.68	
Machinery Distribution	42.47	
Health and Sanitation	108.57	
Charities	1,351.07	
Old Age Assistance	3,912.73	
Schools	4,416.64	
Chapter 90, Construction	2,000.00	
Interest on Taxes	423.32	
Sundries	253.46	
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	Total	\$32,900.49
Amount to be Raised on Polls	\$1,094.00	
Amount to be Raised on Personal		
Property	5,815.39	
Amount to be Raised on		
Real Estate	67,699.83	
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	Total	\$74,609.22
Value of Assessed Stock in		
Trade	\$26,705.00	
Value of Assessed Machinery	66,795.00	
Value of Live Stock	5,990.00	
Value of all Other Tangible		
Personal Property	131,280.00	
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		\$230,770.00
Value of Buildings excluding		
Land	\$779,170.00	

Value of Land Excluding Buildings	1,907,335.00	
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Total		\$2,686,505.00
Total Value of Assessed Estate		\$2,917,275.00
Tax Rate	\$25.20	
Increase in Personal Property	\$5,080.00	
Increase in Real Estate	33,345.00	
Number of Assessed Corporations	25	
Value of Assessed Corpora- tions	\$949,715.00	
Number of Horses		15
Number of Cows		71
Number of other cattle		12
Number of Fowl Assessed		1807
Number of Dwellings Assessed		503
Number of Acres of Land Assessed		19,108 1/3
Number of Persons Assessed on Polls		547
Number of Persons Assessed on Polls only		317
Number of Persons Assessed on Personal Estate only		12
Number of Persons Assessed on Real Estate only		452
Number of Persons Assessed on Personal and Real Estate		125
Number of Cranberry Bogs		339
Number of Acres of Cranberry Bog		2,735 1/2 ✓
Valuation of Cranberry Bogs		\$1,573,370.00
Average Value per Acre		575.27
Estimated Cranberry Crop of 1938		78,000 Bbls.
Assessed Valuation of Cranberry Bogs for the Year 1939		
1/4 A at		\$1,200
23 1/8 A at		1,050
3 1/4 A at		1,000
129 1/2 A at		950

54	5/8	A at	900
11	3/8	A at	850
54	2/3	A at	800
188	4/10	A at	750
115	1/4	A at	700
388	1/4	A at	650
252	3/4	A at	600
435	1/4	A at	550
421		A at	500
162	1/4	A at	450
231	1/3	A at	400
105	1/2	A at	350
56	1/2	A at	300
39	2/5	A at	250
42	1/2	A at	200
2	3/4	A at	150
18	3/4	A at	100

Number of Autos and Trucks Assessed	617
Valuation of Autos and Trucks	\$119,610.00
Amount of Excise Tax	3,422.16
Excise Tax Rate, 1939	35.90

Summary of Warrants to the Collector

Motor Vehicle Excise, March 2	\$634.02
Poll, March 4	1,078.00
Motor Vehicle, Excise, April 10	1,591.73
Poll, June 6	16.00
Motor Vehicle Excise, June 24	719.35
Town, Real Estate, Sept. 1	67,699.83
Town, Personal Property, Sept. 1	5,815.39
Motor Vehicle Excise, Sept. 9	160.66
Town, Subsequent, Dec. 13	48.76
Poll, Dec. 13	4.00
Motor Vehicle Excise, Dec. 19	296.74
Motor Vehicle Excise, Jan. 1940	19.66

WILLIAM M. SHAW,
RALPH E. WASHBURN,
ARTHUR H. WADE,
Assessors of Carver.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

O. P. Griffith, janitor	\$75.00
William Stoddard, janitor	587.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, supplies	6.47
Jack L. Martin, Clerk	287.50
Jack L. Martin, Treasurer	575.00
Jack L. Martin, Collector	575.00
Jack L. Martin, Mileage, 1,802½ miles @6c	108.15
Jack L. Martin, Supplies-Clerk	.80
E. M. Farrington, Supplies-Clerk	34.30
Chilton Press, Supplies-Clerk	10.65
Mass. Tax Coll. Assoc., Dues	2.00
Mass. Town Clerk Assoc. ,Dues	2.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies—Clerk	4 84
Deputy Collector fees	2.00
Notary fees	1.50
Jack L. Martin, Postage—Treasurer	61.29
Jack L. Martin, Postage—Collector	57.76
Keystone—Supplies	27.95
Frederick Weston, Treas., Coll., Clerk—Bond	158.00
L. W. Daniel, Supplies Treasurer	47.50
Wm. Egger, Supplies, Treas	11.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies, Treas.	1.63
Chilton Press, Supplies, Treas.	28.95
Chilton Press, Supplies, Collector	81.10
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies, Collector	22.99
Davol Printing Co., Supplies, Collector	1.00
Robinson Seal Co.. Supplies, Collector	1.08
Florence Washburn, Services	90.75
B. W. Roby, Services	232.50
B. W. Roby, Mileage, 97 miles @ 6c	5.82
B. W. Roby, Postage	1.24
E. B. Ware, Services	316.79
E. B. Ware, Mileage, 400 miles @ 6c	24.00

A. W. Peterson, Services	196.70
A. W. Peterson, Mileage, 185 miles @ 6c	11.10
A. W. Peterson, Postage & supplies	8.13
Frank E. Barrows, Moderator	25.00
Sadie Wade, Election Officer	2.50
Charlotte Ware, Election Officer	2.50
Marjorie Griffith, Election Officer	2.50
Eveline McLure, Election Officer	2.50
Alma Kenney, Election Officer	2.50
Florence Washburn, Election Officer	2.50
Mildred Shaw, Election Officer	2.50
Florence Kaski, Election Officer	2.50
Anna McGuire, Election Officer	2.50
Harriet Snow, Election Officer	2.50
Winifred Shaw, Election Officer	2.50
Kenneth Shaw, Election Officer	2.50
Daisy Vaughan, Election Officer	2.00
Olive Ward, Election Officer	2.00
Hattie Griffith, Election Officer	2.00
A. John Halunen, Serving Warrants	5.00
Chilton Press. Printing Ballots	18.00
Stetson & Clark	8.00
Jack L. Martin, Registration of voters	3.00
Notary Fees	.50
A. W. Peterson, Registration of voters	5.00
E. B. Ware, Registration of voters	9.00
Wm. H. Stoddard, Listing, Services	22.50
Wm. H. Stoddard, Listing, mileage, 78 miles @ 6c	4.68
A. John Halunen, Listing, Services	31.50
A. John Halunen, Listing, mileage, 106 miles @ 6c	6.36
Frank Barrows, Listing, Services	30.00
Frank Barrows, Listing, mileage, 106 miles @ 6c	6.36
Florence Washburn, Listing, Services	77.75
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	38.74
Robinson Seal Co., Supplies	2.51
H. W. Jordan, Postage	1.00
Edwin E. Bisbee, Labor	4.00
Plymouth County Assoc., Selectmen's Dues	6.00
J. V. Sullivan, Legal Advice	37.25

Quabaug Rubber Co., Matting	25.58
D. H. Dempsey, Labor and supplies	20.17
Nemasket Trans. Co.	1.28
W. T. Grant Co., Supplies	.64
Samuel Cholerton, Insurance	261.21
Plymouth Rock Hdw. Co., Supplies	3.27
J. A. Bissonnett, Deputy Collector	10.00
Arthur Burbank, Auditor	45.00
Kenneth Shaw, Auditor	45.00
Norman V. Holmes, Auditor	45.00
A. L. Pappi, Labor and Stock	14.86
Russell Appling, Insurance	96.95
State Prison, Brushes	3.60
Perez L. Shurtleff, Labor	1.25
Plymouth County Elec. Co.	55.58
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	9.16
Arnold Telfer, Labor and Stock	20.00
Church Coal Co.	445.90
John E. Jordan Co., Supplies	4.91
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	117.05
Chilton Press, Supplies	16.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies, Assessors	26.05
Austin Ward, Sign	2.00
Ralph Washburn, Services, Assessor	263.50
Ralph Washburn. Mileage, 425 miles @ 6c	25.50
William Shaw, Services, Assessor	285.00
William Shaw, Mileage, 693 miles @ 6c	41.58
William Shaw, Postage	6.01
Arthur Wade, Services, Assessor	266.50
Arthur Wade, Mileage, 379 Miles @ 6c	22.74
Eleanor Shaw, Assessors' Clerk	59.50
E. M. Farrington, Assessor's cards	36.16
William Holmes, Dog Officer, Services	24.60
William Holmes, Mileage, 327 Miles @ 6c	19.62

\$6,359.31

PUBLIC WELFARE

Home Assistance	\$852.70
Walter Carmichael, Supplies	471.50
John Bourget, Supplies	478.63
H. S. Pink, Supplies	522.88
Harry Jordan, Supplies	10.00
W. T. Grant Co., Clothes	122.85
Plymouth County Elec. Co.	19.56
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	10.86
Chilton Press	3.25
L. M. Chase, Medical Services	395.65
E. Centeio, Supplies	174.61
E. Centeio, Board	240.00
E. Centeio, Rent	40.00
E. Centeio, Transportation	10.00
Maurice Robbins, Milk	4.60
John Tubman, Carting wood	61.00
Atlantic Refining Co., Oil	65.15
Embert Eames, Jr., Milk	27.12
Lewis Jenney, Supplies	93.00
Standish Dairy	29.36
Nathan Roby, Oil	91.31
Treasurer of U. S., Commodities	40.08
New England Hosp. for Women	88.05
St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford	58.84
Jordan Hospital	83.95
Wikstein Bros., Milk	78.12
A. K. Finney, Express	1.47
Mary Aho, Board	322.00
William Egger, Burials	200.00
William Egger, Ambulance	5.00
Joe Watts, Nursing	27.15
A. L. Douglas, supplies	1.00
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	1.25
Robert Davis, Medical services	15.00
Manuel Correia	5.00
Kay's Service, medical	2.67
Theo. Thomas, Milk	10.08

Plymouth Co-op. Bank, Rent	20.00
Manuel G. Thimas, Milk	8.76
Mass. Eye & Ear Hospital	60.90
Frank Barrows, Digging Graves	20.00
John Baptiste, Board	90.00
Mrs. Earl Johnson, Rent	10.00
Lillie Leito, Rent	24.50
Michael Joseph, Rent	6.00
Frank Thatcher, Rent	22.00
Amelia Thomas, Board	75.00
Abbie Adams, Board	578.00
City of Boston	314.32
Town of Plymouth	1,034.63
City of New Belford	144.66
Town of Middleboro	142.32
Town of Wareham	833.98
Florence Washburn, Clerical Work	51.50
A. W. Peterson, Services	315.88
A. W. Peterson, Postage	8.00
A. W. Peterson, Mileage, 1053 Miles @ 6c	63.18
J. V. Sullivan, Legal Services	15.00
D. W. Besse, Shoes	49.13
Commonwealth of Mass.	1,394.83
Alexander McLure, Milk	11.40
Wm. E. Austin	3.00
Herbert H. Howard, Medical	85.00
J. H. Davis, Medical	35.00
Hannah Salminen, Board	78.00
Earl Ware, Services	45.60
Rockland Pharmacy	1.65
J. M. Peckham, Medical services	110.00
Mass. Gen. Hospital	5.25
Amelia Lopes, Board	27.00
City of Fall River	60.00
Town of Rochester	50.84
B. W. Roby, Services	8.00
B. W. Roby, Mileage, 24 Miles @ 6c	1.44
Mrs. Wm. Nason, Board	44.00
Geo. E. Cornwell, Burial	100.00

Frank Shanks	2.00
Leyden Press	.75
Catherine Gonsalves, Board	15.00
Town of Maynard	32.17
City of Lawrence	137.50
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	\$10,799.88

AMERICAN LEGION

Treasurer—Sons of Veterans, Rent	\$100.00
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AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Home Assistance	\$1,003.50
A. W. Peterson, Services	25.05
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	2.00
Florence Washburn, Clerical Work	8.25
A. W. Peterson, Mileage—113 Miles @ 6c	6.78
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	\$1,045.58

PLYMOUTH COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

Plymouth County Agent	\$100.00
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Home Assistance	\$12,695.41
J. M. Peckham, M. D., Services	15.00
John E. Moore Corp., Supplies	16.45
Aune Lammi, Nurse	10.00
L. M. Chase, M. D., Services	21.00
L. D. Nye, M. D., Services	5.00
A. W. Peterson, Services	225.20
Florence Washburn, Services	31.25
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	5.30
Earl Ware, Services	11.10
B. W. Roby, Services	2.00
Chilton Press, Supplies	10.70
Town of Plymouth	50.00

Town of Falmouth	64.00
Town of Middleboro	14.67
Frank Barrows, Digging grave	6.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	5.72
William Egger, Burial	100.00
Dept. Public Welfare, Boston	35.00
A. W. Peterson, Postage	5.40
A. W. Peterson, Mileage, 904½ Miles @ 6c	54.27
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	\$ 13,383.47

UNCLASSIFIED ACCOUNT AND MEMORIAL DAY

Daniel Dempsey, Delivering Town Reports	\$10.62
Chilton Press, Town Reports	191.00
Treasurer Sons of Veterans, Memorial Day	150.00
Robert E. Steinholt, Refund	79.42
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	\$431.04

GYPSY MOTH ACCOUNT

John Tubman, Labor and truck	\$498.83
Raymond Tubman, Labor	20.00
Herman Young, Labor	19.50
Chesley Knowlton, Labor	17.50
Clarence Garnett, Labor	107.75
Herbert Shaw, Labor	22.75
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	20.00
Edwin Blake, Labor	21.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	5.05
Jas. Huggins & Sons, supplies	14.58
Russell Appling, Labor	104.75
Edward Adams, Labor & Stock	2.00
Justin A. McCarthy, Hose	39.90
Henry Pink, Supplies	3.80
Sherwin Williams Co., Tar Flakes	5.40
Wenham Garage, Labor & Stock	12.50
Nemasket Trans. Co., express	3.86

Est. of A. D. Griffith, Lead	197.50
Norfolk Rubber Co.	25.48
Walter Carmichael, Gas and oil	18.92
Jay A. Ward, Labor and stock	6.50
Roger Williams, Oil	1.00

\$1,169.07

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FLAG

Alonzo F. Ryder Co., Flag	\$26.99
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HEALTH ACCOUNT

Plymouth County Hospital	\$807.00
Robert Raymond, Burying Dog	1.00
A. J. Halunen, Labor	1.00
J. J. Shepherd & Son, burial certificate	.50
Arthur Shanks, Labor	16.50
James Braddock, Labor	12.00
Alton Shurtleff, Labor	4.00
J. Pouliot, Labor	28.00
Clarence Garnett, Labor	4.00
L. M. Chase, M. D., Birth records	7.00
L. M. Chase, M. D., Clinic	25.00
L. M. Chase, M. D., Inspecting school children	150.00
Henry Pink, Supplies	7.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	2.75
Plymouth County Assessment	1,454.24
Chas. E. Hoyer, M. D., Services	30.00
Mary E. Fuller, School nurse	3.00
B. W. Roby, Services	82.67
B. W. Roby, Mileage, 161 Miles @ 6c	9.66
B. W. Roby, Postage	.89
Henry Robidoux, Labor	4.00
Manuel Silva, Labor	3.50
John Tubman, Labor and truck	20.00
George Cornwell & Son, certificates	.75
Dr. E. L. Perry, Glasses	9.00
F. Horton, Labor	4.00

Edwin Bisbee, Inspecting animals	60.00
Edwin Bisbee, Inspector of slaughtering	22.50
Edwin Bisbee, Mileage, 84 Miles @ 6c	5.04
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	\$2,775.00

PARKS

James McKay, labor	\$72.90
James McKay, Supplies	.95
Frank E. Barrows, Labor	106.20
Levi Thomas, Labor, truck and supplies	25.50
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	11.50
John L. Hacking, Labor	4.00
Napoleon Dionne, Labor	1.00
Edward Adams, Labor	5.50
Roger Dempsey, Labor	6.00
John Hacking, Jr., Labor	.75
George Harriman, Labor	3.50
Robert Morris, Labor	2.00
D. H. Dempsey, Labor and truck	1.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, supplies	19.62
John Tubman, Labor and truck	18.00
Geo. Shurtleff & Son, Seed	3.25
William Bisbee, Labor	8.75
M. Clare, Labor	2.50
Wm. Harriman, Jr., Labor	4.00
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	\$297.42

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Home Relief	\$550.00
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Wood	4.00
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	\$554.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

W. & L. E. Gurley, Supplies	\$5.70
Russell E. Appling, Insurance	22.20

Edwin E. Bisbee, Services	100.00
Edwin E. Bisbee, Postage, telephone & repairs	4.50
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	\$132.40

BRIDGE ACCOUNT

M. Clare, Labor	\$5.00
E. L. LeBaron Foundry, Parts	26.40
George Salva, Labor	8.00
Joseph Corshia, Labor	8.00
Jas. Braddock, Labor	12.00
Evangeline Centeio, Labor and truck	15.00
T. T. Vaughan, Estate, Sand	10.50
Laurence Shaw, Labor	4.00
Odillion Pelletier, Labor	2.88
Ernest Dunham, Labor	9.00
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	5.50
Robert Gray, Labor	9.50
Leo Bolduc, Labor	2.88
Herbert DeMoranville, Labor	17.50
Frank Shanks, Labor	9.63
Harvey Halunen, Labor	5.00
Ireton Bumpus, Labor	4.00
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	4.00
Paul Williams, Labor	5.00
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	20.00
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	5.29
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.	71.32
Otto Johnson, Labor	8.00
Clarence Garnett, Labor	8.00
Albert Robbins, Labor	4.00
Andrew Kaski, Stone	25.00
Plymouth Lumber Co., Lumber	23.83
Geo. A. Shurtleff & Son, Lumber	14.85
Frank Weston, Supt.	34.20
Frank Weston, Labor and truck	51.00
Ralph Corshia, Labor	4.00
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	\$433.28

CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Frank E. Barrows, Labor	\$185.10
Ralph Linton, Labor	323.60
Dana Ward, Labor	30.75
James Peckham, Labor	29.50
James Peckham, Jr., Labor	12.00
Warren Dionne, Labor	3.25
John Halunen, Labor	8.00
Plymouth Lumber Co.	5.33
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	25.25
Roger Dempsey, Labor	18.25
Lakeside Greenhouse, Plants	13.95
Jos. Malaguti & Son	1.50
Wm. Bisbee, Labor	41.50
Ovid Manseau, Labor	20.75
Wenham Garage	1.40
Napoleon Dionne, Labor	2.25
Albert Robbins, Labor	1.00
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Hardware	54.00
Henry Pink, Supplies	22.77
Arnold Telfer, Labor and truck	18.40
Andrew Eames, Labor and truck	8.25
Edwin Blake with horse	7.50
Durant's Garage, Repairs	2.75
John Hacking, Labor	1.00
Arnold Adams, Labor	1.50
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	\$839.55

ROAD MACHINERY

Ben R. Resnick, Parts	\$11.62
Frank Weston, Supt.	4.50
Frank Weston, Telephone	1.75
Homer Weston, Labor	16.25
Wenham Garage, Repairs	1.75
Jay A. Ward, Repairs	22.50
Shunk Mfg. Co., Blades	11.70
Adams Garage, Repairs	1.35

Nemasket Trans. Co., Express	.50
Traffic Equipment Co.	60.50
Shurtleff Hdw. Co., Supplies	1.30
H. R. Bailey, Repairs	27.54
Walter Rowley, Repairs	10.00
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	\$171.26

FIRES

Merton Griffith, Brush	\$7.20
John Fowler, Chimney	4.05
Dr. Higgins, Chimney	1.00
Palm, House	9.90
Hartford Bog, Brush	35.00
Matti Jokinen, Chimney	3.70
Fire Patrol, July 3—4	21.85
Slosberg, House	25.60
Carlson, Chimney	5.15
Sherman, Grass	2.70
Hacking, Brush	12.15
Dunham, Grass	4.70
Lucien Robbins, Brush	3.10
Wenham Garage	7.18
Emil Johnson, Chimney	7.90
John Mosher, House	2.10
Mary Nichols, Chimney	10.95
Jay Ward, Brush	2.70
Henry Atwood, Chimney	1.50
John Tubman, Telephone	6.00
Inspection and issuing permits	8.75
Jack Santos, Chimney	1.10
Jas. Thomas, Chimney	1.50
Thos. Laine, House	5.60
Ellis Atwood, House	2.70
Chandler Bog House	4.80
Philip Cole, Chimney	1.60
Ralph Linton, Chimney	1.60
Tillson, Grass	10.40

Annie McFarlin, Grass	6.70
Johns Pond, Brush	25.50
Melvin Garnett, Chimney	1.00
Paul Williams, Chimney	2.20
Oscar Lammi, Grass	2.20
Mary Kangas, Chimney	1.50
Jenney Bog, Bog	5.40
Andrew Lopes, Chimney	1.50
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	\$258.48

FIRE EQUIPMENT

Wm. I. Ward, Insurance	\$93.16
American LaFrance Co., Foamite	3.24
Henry Pink, Soda	4.35
Justin A. McCarthy, Hose	304.77
Jesse A. Holmes & Son	.55
Wenham Garage, Supplies and repairs	227.65
Russell Appling, Labor	9.50
Dolar Cote, Labor	1.00
John Tubman, Labor	18.90
Ammi Bolduc, Labor	1.00
Robert Melville, Labor	.50
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	\$664.62

LIBRARY

New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	\$21.71
Myrtle Atwood, Services	225.20
Myrtle Atwood, Supplies and postage	2.97
P. F. Colliers	62.10
Arnold Telfer, Labor and stock	20.89
Leon C. Mills, Atty.	4.00
Marjorie E. Telfer, Services	1.20
Chilton Press	3.00
Art Metal Construction Co.—Racks	130.00
Library Book House, Books	96.35
Herman Goldberg Agency, Supplies	22.00

Mills Pub. Co.	.88
Junior Literary Guild	107.15
Gladys Pignataro, Transportation	6.00
Gaylord Bros. Inc.	21.95
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	\$725.40

TREE WARDEN

Clarence Garnett, Labor	\$122.00
A. John Halunen, Labor	25.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son	3.30
A. S. Burgess, Filing saws	2.50
John Tubman, Labor and truck	363.30
Russell Appling, Labor	61.75
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	30.50
Edward Adams, Labor	4.00
Harry Morris, Labor	24.00
John Hacking, Labor	6.00
Albert Raymond, Labor	28.00
Frank Halunen, Labor	24.00
Henry Robidoux, Labor	12.00
Gordon Murray, Labor	12.00
Arvo Laine, Labor	24.00
Jas. Braddock, Labor	8.00
Aaron Arponen, Labor	20.00
Harold Braddock, Labor	24.00
Henry Pink, Fertilizer	4.27
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	\$799.12

POLICE ACCOUNT

Myron Hayden, Services	\$1,500.00
Myron Hayden, Postage	.75
John Halunen, Services	203.12
Wm. Stoddard, Services	6.58
Wenham Garage, New car	539.00
Wenham Garage, Supplies and repairs	70.34
Roby's Filling Station	21.48

Adams Garage	17.65
Sukeforth Service Station	1.67
Williams Filling Station	62.08
L. W. Jenney	13.32
H. W. Jordan	30.97
Chester Morse, Commitments	13.20
Chas. L. Bates, Lock-up	6.00
Comm. Pub. Safety, Pistol Permits	.45
Iver Johnson Co., Shells	2.36
Alton Shurtleff, Services	2.00
Rockland Trans. Co.	.75
Kate Mitchell, Matron	1.95
Town of Middleboro, Lock-up	15.35
Chilton Press	32.85
John O. Eaton, Gas & Supplies	44.28
Mills Pub. Co.	.88
Arthur C. Robidoux, pictures	10.00
Ralph Linton, Services	8.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	90.23

\$2,694.38

SNOW ACCOUNT

Frank Weston, Supt.	90.45
Frank Weston, Labor and truck	21.38
Frank Weston, Sanding	33.00
Frank Weston, Plowing	290.00
Arne Johnson, Labor and truck	8.25
Arne Johnson, Plowing	242.50
Arne Johnson, Sanding	27.00
Waine Salminen, Labor	3.25
Herbert DeMoranville, Labor	3.25
Arthur Shanks, Labor	3.25
Albert Robbins, Labor	3.25
Norman Holmes, Plowing	292.50
E. S. Mosher, Sanding	13.50
Andrew Eames, Sanding	27.00
Daniel Dempsey, Sanding	14.63

Roger Weston, Labor	25.75
James Thomas, Labor	5.75
Nelson Thomas, Labor	2.00
Milton Braddock, Labor	4.75
Arnold Telfer, Labor	.75
Paul Penti, Sanding	31.88
Paul Penti, Labor and truck	9.00
Uno Penti, Labor	13.38
Ammy Bolduc, Labor	29.75
George Manseau, Labor	10.25
Ovid Manseau, Labor	4.13
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	2.50
John Carlson, Labor	8.75
Laurence Carmichael, Labor	12.38
Carl Johnson, Labor	34.75
Lloyd Thomas, Labor	3.25
John Hacking, Labor	1.25
John Jussilla, Labor	2.50
Paul Story, Labor	15.50
Jas. Peckham, Labor	2.75
Eino Halunen, Labor	2.50
Odillion Pelletier, Labor	4.50
Ernest Dunham, Labor	2.50
Warren Dionne, Labor	10.13
James Thomas, Jr., Labor	13.76
E. W. Systrom Co., Blades, angle irons	59.00
Est. T. T. Vaughan, Sand	3.60
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	\$1,390.22

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, CHAPTER 81

Frank Weston, Supt.	\$1,085.62
Frank Weston, Shovel	518.00
Frank Weston, Labor and truck	1,736.62
Arthur Braddock, Labor and truck	120.00
Arne Johnson, Labor and truck	111.75
Evangeline Centeio, Labor and truck	137.25
Oscar Carlson, Labor and truck	97.50

Carl Halunen, Labor and truck	42.00
Perez, Shurtleff, Labor and truck	13.50
State Prison, Supplies	293.78
Allen Eastman, Labor and truck	100.50
Manuel Thimas, Labor and truck	228.00
Carl Johnson, Labor and truck	73.50
Milton Burghardt, Supplies	40.00
A. K. Finney, Roller	336.00
Terho Kaski, Labor and truck	225.75
Andrew Eames, Labor and truck	27.75
Eino Harju, Labor and truck	271.50
Charles Haynes, Labor and truck	30.00
Frank Robidoux, Labor	4.00
Albert Robbins, Labor	62.50
Herman Young, Labor	35.75
Theron Bumpus, Labor and truck	36.00
Paul Penti, Labor and truck	15.75
George Arponen, Labor	33.50
Wayne Salminen, Labor	82.50
Paul Story, Labor	8.00
E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck	194.25
Est. T. T. Vaughan, Sand	20.10
Verne Halunen, Labor	84.75
John Finney, Roller	126.50
D. H. Dempsey, Labor and truck	114.00
Barrett Co., Tarvia	1,218.37
Lake Ashford, Supplies	185.07
Leonard Heikkila, Labor and truck	72.00
Bradford Weston, Crushed stone	578.79
New England Asphalt Co.	184.07
Edward Rouske, Roller	111.00
J. A. Holmes, Gravel	5.00
Trimount Bituminous Co.	1,362.67
Shell Co., Oil	205.95
Katherine Ingham, Gravel	100.00
Solvay Sales Co.	120.00
Socony Vacuum Oil	329.62
Edward Baker, Rail cable, cement posts	399.00
N. E. Concrete Co., cement culvert	104.64

N. E. Metal Co., Metal culvert	24.58
M. Clare, Labor	62.75
Ralph Corshia, Labor	45.75
Joe Corshia, Labor	93.00
Ernest Dunham, Labor	102.25
Herbert DeMoranville, Labor	346.25
Aaron Arponen, Labor	171.25
Stewart Fowler, Labor	1.50
Ireton Bumpus, Labor	66.00
Leo Bolduc, Labor	111.63
James Braddock, Labor	173.75
Albert Fowler, Labor	4.75
Otto Johnson, Labor	32.50
Rupert Bumpus, Labor	46.00
Clarence Garnett, Labor	112.25
Wm. Erickson, Labor	26.25
Jas. Thomas. Mowing	60.00
Jas. Thomas, Grader	281.50
Matti Erickson, Labor	152.88
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	275.51
Robert Gray, Labor	298.26
Fred Horton, Labor	40.00
John Jussila, Labor	13.75
Frank Halunen, Labor	32.50
John Halunen, Labor	162.25
Harvey Halunen, Labor	16.00
Eino Halunen, Labor	33.75
Henry Robidoux, Labor	32.00
Chas. Kennedy, Labor	278.75
Chesley Knowlton, Labor	26.00
Jas. Peckham, Labor	7.00
Arvo Laine, Labor	158.75
Reino, Laine, Labor	81.25
George Salva, Labor	69.00
Frank Shanks, Labor	194.75
Laurence Shaw, Labor	100.25
Charles Pratt, Labor	68.50
Edwin Blake, Labor	205.63
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	31.25

Arthur Shanks, Labor	304.25
Toivo Kari, Labor	73.00
Paul Williams, Labor	20.00
Henry Texiera, Labor	51.25
Reino, Harju, Labor	46.75
Adelard Manseau, Labor	134.00
Clifford Morris, Labor	26.25
Ovid Manseau, Labor	57.00
Herbert Shaw, Labor	15.00
Thomas Roy, Labor	20.00
Odillion Pelletier, Labor	89.13
John Carlson, Labor	37.00
Theron Bumpus, Labor	19.75
Joe Silva, Labor	33.00

\$16,249.17

CHAPTER 90, PURCHASE ST.

Mass. Bond & Insurance Co.	\$44.86
State Prison Colony	58.75
Edward Baker Co.	258.00

\$361.61

CHAPTER 90, EAST HEAD ROAD

Mass. Bond & Insurance Co.	\$60.54
State Prison Colony	85.00
Edward Baker Co.	301.00
South Eastern Construction Co.	39.50
E. L. LeBaron Foundry	26.40

\$512.44

CHAPTER 90, MAINTENANCE

Frank Weston, Supt.	\$152.55
Frank Weston, Labor and truck	196.50
Eino Harju, Labor and truck	12.00

Frank Shanks, Labor	10.25
Ernest Dunham, Labor	15.50
E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck	14.25
Edward Rouske, Roller	69.00
A. Majahad, Labor and truck	17.25
John Halunen, Labor	17.25
Michael Clare, Labor	4.50
Bradford Weston, Stone	777.85
Charles Haynes, Labor and truck	13.50
Evangeline Centeio, Labor and truck	4.50
William Bisbee, Labor	4.00
Odillion Pelletier, Labor	6.25
Matti Erickson, Labor	17.75
George Salva, Labor	39.00
Paul Penti, Labor and truck	6.00
Thomas Bros., Grader	84.00
James Thomas, Grader man	30.00
Leo Bolduc, Labor	4.50
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	23.00
Adelard Manseau, Labor	52.50
Edwin Blake, Labor	66.63
Chesley Knowlton, Labor	21.25
Henry Andrade, Gravel	16.00
Arthur Shanks, Labor	67.63
Robert Gray, Labor	65.00
John Jussila, Labor	4.50
Shell Oil Co.	148.18
Herbert DeMoranville, Labor	37.00
Charles Kennedy, Labor	63.50
John Gray, Labor	4.50
Barrett Co.,	672.19
Old Colony Co., Crushed stone	260.60
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	\$2,998.88

MEADOW ST.

Frank Weston, Supt.	\$128.70
Frank Weston, Labor and truck	165.75

Charles Pratt, Labor	26.25
Clarence Garnett, Labor	24.00
Frank Shanks, Labor	35.50
Henry Teixeira, Labor	16.00
Robert Gray, Labor	16.00
Charles Kennedy, Labor	61.50
Paul Williams, Labor	48.63
Richard Barnett, Labor	60.00
John Halunen, Labor	8.00
Jas. Braddock, Labor	36.50
Joe Silva, Labor	20.00
Herbert DeMoranville, Labor	38.25
Ernest Dunham, Labor	97.00
Ireton Bumpus, Labor	83.50
Ovid Manseau, Labor	38.25
Otto Johnson, Labor	38.50
Odillion Pelletier, Labor	24.00
Henry Robidoux, Labor	57.25
Matti Erickson, Labor	68.75
Michael Clare, Labor	37.25
Laurence Shaw, Labor	36.50
Fred Horton, Labor	57.25
George Salva, Labor	53.25
Aaron Arponen, Labor	79.00
Wm. Erickson, Labor	36.50
E. Laine, Labor	4.00
John Laine, Labor	20.50
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	11.00
Rupert Bumpus, Labor	28.00
Chesley Knowlton, Labor	40.00
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	47.50
Reino Harju, Labor	24.00
Perez Shurtleff, Labor and truck	54.75
Carl Halunen, Labor and truck	81.00
Ernest Shaw, Labor and truck	84.00
Verne Halunen, Labor and truck	73.50
Chas. Haynes, Labor and truck	60.00
Terho Kaski, Labor and truck	84.00
Frank Laine, Labor and truck	80.63

Andrew Eames, Labor and truck	73.50
E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck	72.00
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	\$2,230.46

PUBLIC SAFETY

Ralph Linton, Labor	\$28.25
A. John Halunen, Labor	20.75
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Paint and supplies	48.68
State Prison, Signs	20.80
H. R. Bailey, Supplies	10.00
Nemasket Trans. Co., express	.50
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	\$128.98

GENERAL HIGHWAY

Walter Carmichael, Gas and supplies	\$60.64
Roby's Service Station, Gas and supplies	29.09
H. W. Jordan, Gas and supplies	34.75
Carl Neimi, Land Damage	5.00
Mass. State Prison, Signs	7.20
Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co.,	28.59
H. S. Pink, Gas and supplies	61.79
Wenham Garage, Gas	6.12
Traffic Equipment Co.	105.90
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	86.70
Paul Penti, Labor	4.50
H. C. McFarlin, Surveying	75.00
Edwin Bisbee, Labor	12.00
Odillion Pelletier, Labor	4.00
Wm. Bisbee, Labor	3.75
Shurtleff Hdw. Co.	1.39
Roger Williams, Gas and oil	3.48
Michael Joseph, Gravel	28.50
Henry Andrade, Gravel	240.40
Katherine Ingham, Gravel	50.00
Frank Weston, Supt.	3.60
Frank Weston, Telephone	7.60

H. R. Bailey, tools	25.00
Adams Garage	1.00
Aleksius Erickson, Labor	5.60
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	\$891.60

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E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck	\$89.25
Theron Bumpus, Labor and truck	156.00
Paul Penti, Labor and truck	358.50
Evangeline Centeio, Labor and truck	183.00
Andrew Eames, Labor and truck	125.25
Antone Gonsalves, Labor and truck	90.00
John Tubman, Truck	119.00
Chas. Haynes, Labor and truck	292.50
Carl Halunen, Labor and truck	123.00
Frank Weston, Labor	28.80
Frank Weston, Shovel	101.50
Frank Weston, Supt.	12.60
Frank Laine, Labor and truck	108.00
D. H. Dempsey, Labor and truck	249.00
Perez Shurtleff, Labor and truck	203.25
Manuel Thimas, Labor and truck	73.50
Allen Eastman, Labor and truck	157.50
Andrew Paananen, Labor and truck	159.00
Oscar Carlson, Labor and truck	172.50
Arthur Braddock, Labor and truck	288.00
Anthony Majahad, Labor and truck	189.00
Leonard Heikkila, Labor and truck	90.00
Terho Kaski, Labor and truck	73.50
Martin Thomas, Labor and truck	322.50
Carl Johnson, Labor and truck	206.25
Toivo Kallio, Labor and truck	247.50
Charles Kallio, Labor and truck	324.00
Eino Harju, Labor and truck	147.00
Arne Johnson, Labor and truck	230.25
James Thomas, Grader man	8.80
Earl Ware, Services	79.48

B. W. Roby, Services	8.50
B. W. Roby, Mileage, 45 miles @ 6c	2.70
B. W. Roby, Postage	.33
A. W. Peterson, Services	4.50
Maxim Motor Co., Prints	2.10
Chas. T. Henderson Co., First aid supplies	14.04
Jesse F. Morse, Medical supplies	6.53
Henry C. McFarland, Survey	8.00
A. W. Peterson, Recording deeds	6.06
Florence Washburn, Services	28.25
Edwin Bisbee, Services	1.00
Nemasket Transportation Co.	1.68
Durants Garage	1.95
Frank E. Barrows, Maps	10.00
Frank E. Barrows, Notary fees	6.50
J. W. Bradford, Supplies	5.00
J. E. Jordan Co., Supplies	8.14
W. S. Darley, First aid kit	4.33
Henry Pink, Supplies	7.05
Jas. Higgins & Son, Creosote	27.54
Plymouth Rock Hdw. Co., Supplies	1.40
Jesse Holmes & Son, Supplies	9.75
A. W. Peterson, Mileage, 26 miles @ 6c	1.56
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	\$5,175.34

WORK RELIEF

Arthur Shanks, Labor	\$15.00
Jas. Santarpia, Labor	4.00
Clarence Garnett, Labor	19.00
Harry Jordan, Supplies	1.50
Jas. B. Braddock, Labor	4.00
John F. Tubman, Labor	9.60
Simon Majahad, Labor	99.25
John Pouliot, Labor	4.90
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	\$157.25

OLD HOME DAY

Myrtle Carleton, Treasurer	\$200.00
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LAND DAMAGE — HIGH AND BROOK STS.

Philip S. Cole	\$74.01
L. B. R. Barker	13.60
Carolina Enquist	30.90
Fred A. Ward Estate	1.40
Est. of Lydia M. Robbins	18.50
Maurice Robbins	52.08
Chas. & Eleanor Martin	5.97
Michael Anthony	186.40
Frank Cole	42.45
Robbins Bros.	49.82
Leo M. and Lulu J. Anthony	4.00
Celeina Dorais & Noel E. Lapre	12.69
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	\$491.82

INTEREST

Middleborough Trust Co.	\$80.00
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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Samuel Cholerton	\$443.14
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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

City of Brockton	\$28.20
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Report of State Auditor

December 14, 1939.

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Earl B. Ware, Chairman,
Carver, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Carver for the period from September 27, 1936 to November 8, 1939, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

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Mr. Theodore N. Waddell
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Carver for the period from September 27, 1936, the date of the previous examination, to November 8, 1939, the following report being submitted thereon:

General ledger accounts were compiled and the appropriation accounts were analyzed and checked to the amounts voted by the town as listed from the town clerk's record of town meetings, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on November 8, 1939. This

balance sheet indicates that the financial condition of the town is excellent.

In listing the charges against appropriations it was noted that the salaries and expenses of several departments are charged to an appropriation designated "General Government." It is recommended that specific appropriations be voted by the town for the salaries and expenses of each department.

The books and accounts of the late treasurer and of the present treasurer of the town were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the records of the departments making payments to the treasurer, while the payments by the treasurer were checked with the selectmen's orders authorizing the disbursement of town funds.

The cash balance on November 8, 1939, was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by a reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank in which town funds are deposited.

The payments on account of maturing debt and interest were proved with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust funds in the custody of the trustees and of the town treasurer were examined and listed. The income was proved and the transfers to the town were verified. It is recommended that income from the cemetery perpetual care funds be withdrawn and entered on the treasurer's cash book before any expenditures are made for the care of endowed lots and graves.

The tax titles taken by the town for unpaid taxes were examined and the amounts added to the tax title account were compared with the collector's records. It was noted that, in a number of cases, subsequent taxes have not been added to the tax title account, due to the property not having been assessed. The board of assessors should continue to assess property on which the town has acquired a tax title until foreclosure of the right of redemption. The reported redemptions were checked with the

receipts as recorded on the treasurer's cash book, and the tax titles on hand were listed, proved, and checked with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The books and accounts of the late and present collectors of taxes were examined and checked. The taxes outstanding at the time of the previous examination were audited, and all subsequent commitments were proved to the warrants issued for their collection. The recorded receipts were checked with the payments to the treasurer, the abatements as recorded were compared with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The charges for departmental accounts receivable were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were checked with the payments to the treasurer and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The outstanding tax and departmental accounts on the books of the town as of November 8, 1939, were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The financial transactions of the town clerk were examined and checked. The recorded receipts for dog and sporting licenses were checked with the records of licenses issued, and the payments to the town treasurer were verified.

The surety bonds of the town officials required by law to furnish them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The computation of the tax rates by the assessors for 1938 and 1939 were checked, and it was noted that appropriations from available funds voted at the annual town meetings for the years mentioned were not used in the determination of the tax rates for those years. Attention is called to the provisions of Section 15A, Chapter 41, and Section 23, Chapter 59, General Laws, which must be carefully followed in order that the tax rates may be correctly computed.

It is recommended that the board of selectmen keep a complete record of licenses and permits issued and that the cemetery commissioners keep a complete record of sales of lots and graves in order that receipts from these sources may be properly audited.

It is recommended that steps be taken toward the establishment of a proper system of accounting, so that complete records may be available in a single town office and so that the true financial condition of the town may be determined at any time.

Attention is called to the fact that a report of the audit, or a summary of its essential features, should be published by the town clerk, thereby complying with Section 40, Chapter 44, General Laws.

In addition to the accounts mentioned, the records of all other departments collecting money for the town or committing bills for collection were examined and checked in detail.

There are appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, tax title, and departmental accounts, as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the various trust funds.

While engaged in making the audit, cooperation was received from all town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Assistant Director of Accounts.

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RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH

HENRY S. GRIFFITH, Treasurer

Balance September 27,		
1936,	\$18,843.50	
Receipts:		
September 27 to Decem-		
ber 31, 1936,	\$77,076.04	
January 1 to February		
28, 1937,	4,485.78	
	<u>81,561.82</u>	
		\$100,405.32
Payments:		
September 27 to Decem-		
ber 31, 1936,	\$61,781.91	
January 1 to February		
28, 1937,	7,240.78	
	<u>69,022.69</u>	
Balance February 28, 1937,	31,382.63	
	<u>\$100,405.32</u>	

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer

Balance March 1, 1937,	\$31,382.63	
Receipts:		
March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$119,748.06	
1938,	140,137.26	
	<u>259,885.32</u>	
		\$291,267.95
Payments,		
March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$124,491.87	
1938,	145,613.00	
	<u>\$270,104.87</u>	
Balance December 31, 1938	21,163.08	
	<u>\$291,267.95</u>	
Balance January 1, 1939,	\$21,163.08	
Receipts January 1 to		

November 8, 1939,	127,364.40	
Excess cash November 8, 1939,	3.20	
	<hr/>	\$148,530.68
Payments January 1 to		
November 8, 1939,	\$91,693.08	
Balance November 8, 1939:		
Cash in office, verified,	\$273.29	
Middleborough Trust		
Company,	56,564.31	
	<hr/>	\$148,530.68

MIDDLEBORO TRUST COMPANY

Balance November 8, 1939, per statement		\$59,861.07
Balance November 8, 1939,		
per check book,	\$56,564.31	
Outstanding checks Novem-		
ber 8, 1939, per list,	3,296.76	
	<hr/>	\$59,861.07

TAXES—1930

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936	\$1.71	
Abatements reported in excess,	.10	
	<hr/>	\$1.81
Abatements September 27 to		
December 31, 1936,		\$1.81

TAXES—1931

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$1.71	
Abatements September 27 to		
December 31, 1936,		\$1.71

TAXES—1934

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$9.74	
Abatements and payments:		

Refunded September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$.77	
Adjusted,	4.82	
	<hr/>	5.59
		<hr/>
		\$15.33
Payments to treasurer September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$2.00	
Abatements September 27 to December 31, 1936,	13.33	
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		\$15.33

TAXES—1935

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936		\$3,311.94
Payments to treasurer:		
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$2,501.52	
January 1 to February 28, 1937,	77.17	
	<hr/>	\$2,578.69
Tax titles taken September 27 to December 31, 1936,	2.35	
Outstanding February 28, 1937,	730.90	
	<hr/>	\$3,311.94

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Outstanding March 1, 1937,		\$730.90
Payments to treasurer		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$481.66	
Abatements:		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$173.74	
1938,	75.50	
	<hr/>	249.24
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		\$730.90

TAXES—1936

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$54,858.66
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Additional commitment September 27 to December 31, 1936,	34.86	
Abatements and payments, refunded September 27 to December 31, 1936,	21.80	
	<u> </u>	\$54,915.32

Payments to treasurer:		
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$47,641.89	
January 1 to February 28, 1937	1,675.79	
	<u> </u>	\$49,317.68

Abatements September 27 to December 31, 1936,	49.16	
Added to tax titles September 27 to December 31, 1936,	77.40	
Outstanding February 28, 1937,	5,471.08	
	<u> </u>	\$54,915.32

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Outstanding March 1, 1937,	\$5,471.08	
Abatement and payment adjusted,	.87	
	<u> </u>	\$5,471.95

Payments to treasurer:		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$4 733.26	
1938,	460.93	
	<u> </u>	\$5,194.19

Abatements:		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$256.89	
1938,	20.87	
	<u> </u>	277.76
	<u> </u>	\$5,471.95

TAXES—1937

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment March 1 to December 31, 1937, per warrants,	\$60.047.89
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Payments to treasurer :

March 1 to December

31, 1937, \$49,990.37

1938, 9,108.06

\$59,098.43

Abatements :

March 1 to December

31, 1937, \$209.72

1938, 57.23

266.95

Added to tax titles March 1 to

December 31, 1937, 14.70

Outstanding December

31, 1938, 667.81

\$60,047.89

Outstanding January 1, 1939,

\$667.81

Payments to treasurer January 1

to November 8, 1939, \$550.43

Abatements January 1 to

November 8, 1939, 105.38

Outstanding November 8,

1939, per list, 12.00

\$667.81

TAXES—1938

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment, per warrants, \$65,265.10

Abatements and payments, refunded 1.05

\$65,266.15

Payments to treasurer, \$57,429.71

Abatements, 215.41

Added to tax titles, 12.27

Outstanding December 31, 1938, 7,608.76

\$65,266.15

Outstanding January 1, 1939,

\$7,608.76

Payments to treasurer January 1

to November 8, 1939, \$6,185.59

Abatements January 1 to

November 8, 1939, 226.71

Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	1,196.46	
	<hr/>	\$7,608.76

POLL TAXES—1939

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment January 1 to November 8, 1939, per warrant,		\$1,094.00
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$918.00	
Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	176.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,094.00

PERSONAL TAXES—1939

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment January 1 to November 8, 1939 per warrant,		\$5,815.39
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$4,644.98	
Abatements January 1 to November 8, 1939,	1.26	
Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	1,169.15	
	<hr/>	\$5,815.39

REAL ESTATE TAXES—1939

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment January 1 to November 8, 1939, per warrant,	\$67,699.83	
Abatements and payments, to be refunded,	17.64	
	<hr/>	\$67,717.47
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$50,085.96	
Abatements January 1 to November 8, 1939,	239.27	

Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	17,392.24	
	<hr/>	\$67,717.47

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1932

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$2.00
Outstanding February 28, 1937,	\$2.00
Jack L. Martin, Collector	
Outstanding March 1, 1937 and January 1, 1939,	\$2.00
Abatements January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$2.00

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1933

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$16.00
Abatements September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$16.00

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1934

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$106.74
Abatements September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$98.01
Motor vehicle excise taxes 1934 reported as motor vehicle excise taxes 1935,	8.73
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	\$106.74

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1935

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936,	\$214.88
Motor vehicle excise taxes 1934 reported as motor vehicle excise taxes 1935,	8.73
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	\$223.61
Payments to treasurer:	
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$53.86

January 1 to February 28, 1937,	6.73	
	<hr/>	\$60.59
Motor vehicle excise taxes 1935 reported as motor vehicle excise taxes 1936,	52.79	
Outstanding February 28, 1937,	110.23	
	<hr/>	\$223.61
Jack L. Martin, Collector		
Outstanding March 1, 1937,		\$110.23
Payments to treasurer March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$46.23	
Abatements March 1 to December 31, 1937	64.00	
	<hr/>	\$110.23

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1936

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Outstanding September 27, 1936	\$1,206.36	
Additional commitments:		
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$532.40	
January 1 to February 28, 1937,	199.32	
	<hr/>	731.72
Abatements and payments, refunded September 27 to December 31, 1936,	11.01	
Motor vehicle excise taxes 1935 reported as motor vehicle excise taxes 1936,	52.79	
	<hr/>	\$2,001.88
Payments to treasurer:		
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$1,034.20	
January 1 to February 28, 1937,	174.20	
	<hr/>	\$1,208.40
Abatements September 27 to December 31, 1936,	57.60	

Outstanding February 28, 1937,	735.88	
	<u> </u>	\$2,001.88

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Outstanding March 1, 1937,	\$735.88	
Abatements and payments, refunded		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	7.98	
	<u> </u>	\$743.86

Payments to treasurer:

March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$643.61	
1938,	49.22	
	<u> </u>	\$692.83

Abatements:

March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$11.33	
1938,	39.70	
	<u> </u>	51.03
	<u> </u>	\$743.86

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1937

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment, per warrants:

March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$3,709.30	
1938,	52.89	
	<u> </u>	\$3,762.19

Abatements and payments, refunded:

March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$22.39	
1938,	17.57	
	<u> </u>	39.96
	<u> </u>	\$3,802.15

Payments to treasurer:

March 1 to December		
31, 1937,	\$2,623.13	
1938,	1,013.04	
	<u> </u>	\$3,636.17

Abatements:

March 1 to December			
31, 1937,	\$53.63		
1938,	76.16		
	<hr/>	129.79	
Outstanding December			
31, 1938,		36.19	
		<hr/>	\$3,802.15
Outstanding January 1, 1939,			\$36.19
Payments to treasurer January 1			
to November 8, 1939,	\$7.76		
Abatements January 1 to November			
8, 1939,	19.66		
Outstanding November			
8, 1939, per list,	8.77		
	<hr/>		\$36.19

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1938

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment, per warrants,	\$3,331.91		
Abatements and payments, refunded,	61.91		
	<hr/>	\$3,393.82	
Payments to treasurer,	\$3,279.95		
Abatements,	83.25		
Outstanding December 31, 1938,	30.62		
	<hr/>	\$3,393.82	
Outstanding January 1, 1939	\$30.62		
Additional commitment January 1			
to November 8, 1939,	60.24		
Abatements and payments, refunded			
January 1 to November 8, 1939	.59		
	<hr/>	\$91.45	
Payments to treasurer January 1			
to November 8, 1939,	\$80.75		
Abatement January 1 to			
November 8, 1939,	.59		
Outstanding November 8, 1939,			
per list,	10.11		
	<hr/>	\$91.45	

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1939

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Commitment January 1 to November 8, 1939, per warrants,	\$3,105.76	
Abatements and payments:		
Refunded January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$59.23	
To be refunded,	1.95	
	<hr/>	61.18
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		\$3,166.94
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$3,043.65	
Abatements January 1 to November 8, 1939,	103.50	
Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	19.79	
	<hr/>	\$3,166.94

INTEREST ON TAXES

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Collections:		
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$187.59	
January 1 to February 28, 1937,	27.47	
	<hr/>	\$215.06
Payments to treasurer:		
September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$187.59	
January 1 to February 28, 1937,	27.47	
	<hr/>	\$215.06

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Collections:		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$329.98	
1938,	410.06	
	<hr/>	\$740.04
Payments to treasurer:		
March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$329.98	
1938,	410.06	
	<hr/>	\$740.04

Collections January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$185.92
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$185.92

COSTS ON TAXES

Henry S. Griffith, Collector

Collections September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$.70
Payments to treasurer September 27 to December 31, 1936,	\$.70

Jack L. Martin, Collector

Collections:

March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$22.40	
1938,	13.30	
	<hr/>	\$35.70

Payments to treasurer:

March 1 to December 31, 1937,	\$22.40	
1938,	13.30	
	<hr/>	\$35.70

Collections January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$47.25
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$47.25

TAX TITLES

Balance September 27, 1936,	\$306.75
Tax titles taken September 27 to December 31, 1936:	
Taxes 1935,	\$2.35
Interest and costs,	10.70
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	13.05

Added to tax titles:

September 27 to December 31, 1936:	
Taxes 1936,	\$77.40
Interest,	.03
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	\$77.43

1937:

Taxes 1937,	14.70
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1938:

Taxes 1938,	12.27	
	<hr/>	104.40
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		\$424.20

Tax titles redeemed:

September 27 to December		
31, 1936	\$89.50	
1937,	70.86	
	<hr/>	\$160.36

Balance December 31, 1938 and		
November 8, 1939, per list,	263.84	
	<hr/>	\$424.20

TOWN CLERK

Dog Licenses

Licenses issued January 1 to

November 9, 1939:

Males,	122 @ \$2.00,	\$244.00
Spayed females,	20 @ 2.00,	40.00
Females,	19 @ 5.00	95.00
Kennel,	1 @ 25.00,	25.00
	<hr/>	\$404.00

Payments to treasurer January 1	
to November 9, 1939,	\$404.00

Sporting Licenses

Licenses issued January 1 to

November 9, 1939,	\$352.50
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Payments to treasurer January 1	
to November 9, 1939,	\$352.50

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Cash balance October 10, 1936,	\$2.25
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Fees:

October 10 to December	
31, 1936,	\$1.79
1937,	25.87
1938,	28.73
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	56.39

\$58.64

Payments to treasurer :

October 10 to			
December 31, 1936,	\$4.04		
1937,	25.87		
1938,	28.53		
	<hr/>	\$58.44	
Cash balance December 31, 1938,		.20	
		<hr/>	\$58.64
Cash balance January 1, 1939,		\$.20	
Fees January 1 to November			
13, 1939,		21.58	
		<hr/>	\$21.78
Payments to treasurer January 1			
to November 13, 1939,		\$21.58	
Cash balance November 13, 1939,		.20	
		<hr/>	\$21.78

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Temporary Aid

Accounts Receivable

Charges January 1 to November 8, 1939,		\$1,543.07
Payments to treasurer January 1		
to November 8, 1939,	\$983.59	
Outstanding November 8, 1939,		
per list,	559.48	
	<hr/>	\$1,543.07

Aid To Dependent Children

Accounts Receivable

Charges January 1 to November 8, 1939,		\$415.33
Payments to treasurer January 1		
to November 8, 1939,	\$144.83	
Outstanding November 8,		
1939, per list,	270.50	
	<hr/>	\$415.33

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Accounts Receivable

Charges January 1 to November 8, 1939,		\$4,911.84
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$3,356.55	
Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	1,555.29	
	<hr/>	\$4,911.84

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Charges January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$629.20
Outstanding November 8, 1939, per list,	\$629.20

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

Cash balance October 7, 1936,	\$.65	
Fines, etc.: October 7 to December 31, 1936,	\$3.14	
1937,	10.07	
1938,	11.75	
	<hr/>	24.96
	<hr/>	\$25.61
Payments to treasurer: October 7 to December 31, 1936,	\$3.79	
1937,	10.07	
1938,	11.75	
	<hr/>	\$25.61
Fines, etc., January 1 to November 8, 1939,		\$9.35
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 8, 1939,	\$9.15	
Cash balance November 8, 1939,	.20	
	<hr/>	\$9.35

BENJAMIN ELLIS SCHOOL FUND

In Custody of Trustees

	Cash	Savings Deposits	Securities Par Value	Total
On hand September 27, 1936,	\$150.95	\$349.53	\$2,000.00	\$2,500.48
On hand at end of year 1936,	\$45.00	\$349.53	\$2,000.00	\$2,394.53
On hand at end of year 1937,	\$150.00	\$359.20	\$2,000.00	\$2,509.20
On hand at end of year 1938,	\$280.00	\$368.23	\$2,000.00	\$2,648.23
On hand November 8, 1939,	\$455.00	\$377.48	\$2,000.00	\$2,832.48

September 27, 1936 to December 31, 1938

Receipts		Payments	
Income:		Added to savings	
September 27 to		deposits:	
December 31,		1937,	\$9.67
1936,	\$40.00	1938,	9.03
1937,	184.67		<u>\$18.70</u>
1938,	184.03	Transferred to town	
	<u>\$408.70</u>	September 27 to De-	
Cash on hand Septem-		cember 31, 1936,	190.95
ber 27, 1936,	150.95	Administration ex-	
		pense 1937,	70.00
		Cash on hand Decem-	
		ber 31, 1938	280.00
	<u>\$559.65</u>		<u>\$559.65</u>

January 1 to November 8, 1939

Income	\$184.25	Added to savings	
Cash on hand Janu-		deposits	\$9.25
ary 1, 1939,	280.00	Cash on hand Novem-	
		ber 8, 1939,	455.00

\$464.25

\$464.25

E. TILSON PRATT SCHOOL FUND

In Custody of Trustees

	Savings Deposits	Securities Par Value	Total
On hand			
September 27, 1936,	\$3,979.87	\$100.00	\$4,079.87
On hand			
at end of year 1936,	\$3,979.87	\$100.00	\$4,079.87
On hand			
at end of year 1937,	\$3,939.82	\$100.00	\$4,039.82
On hand			
at end of year 1938,	\$3,939.82	\$100.00	\$4,039.82
On hand November 8, 1939,	\$3,939.82	\$100.00	\$4,039.82
September 27, 1936 to December 31, 1938			
Receipts		Payments	
Withdrawn from sav- ings deposits		Transferred to town:	
1937,	\$40.05	1937,	\$138.24
		1938,	113.00
Income:			<u>\$251.24</u>
1937,	\$116.19	Administration ex-	
1938,	113.00	pense 1937,	18.00
	<u>229.19</u>		
	<u>\$269.24</u>		<u>\$269.24</u>

January 1 to November 8, 1939

Income,	\$113.00	Transferred to town,	\$111.00
		Administration ex-	
		pense,	2.00
	<u>\$113.00</u>		<u>\$113.00</u>

McFARLIN PARKWAY FUND

In Custody of Town Treasurer

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand September 27, 1936,	\$115.02	\$115.02
On hand at end of year 1936,	\$118.48	\$118.48
On hand at end of year 1937,	\$121.45	\$121.45
On hand at end of year 1938,	\$124.49	\$124.49
On hand November 8, 1939,	\$127.30	\$127.30

September 27, 1936 to December 31, 1938

Receipts		Payments	
Income:		Added to savings deposits:	
September 27 to De-		September 27 to De-	
cember 31, 1936	\$3.46	cember 31, 1936,	\$3.46
1937,	2.97	1937,	2.97
1938,	3.04	1938,	3.04
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	\$9.47		\$9.47
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January 1 to November 8, 1939

Income,	\$2.81	Added to savings deposits,	\$2.81
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ROSA A. COLE LIBRARY FUND

In Custody of Town Treasurer

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand September 27, 1936,	\$1,076.17	\$1,076.17
On hand at end of year 1936,	\$1,042.35	\$1,042.35
On hand at end of year 1937,	\$1,032.13	\$1,032.13
On hand at end of year 1938,	\$1,063.32	\$1,063.32
On hand November 8, 1939,	\$1,063.32	\$1,063.32

September 27, 1936 to December 31, 1938

Receipts		Payments	
Withdrawn from sav-		Added to savings de-	
ings deposits:		posits 1938,	\$31.19

September 27 to December 31,			Transferred to town:		
1936,	\$33.82		September 27 to December 31,		
1937,	10.22		1936,	\$49.96	
	<u> </u>	\$44.04	1937,	41.71	
Income:				<u> </u>	.91.67
September 27 to December 31,					
1936,	\$16.14				
1937,	31.49				
1938,	31.19				
	<u> </u>	78.82			
		<u> </u>			
		\$122.86			\$122.86
		<u> </u>			<u> </u>

January 1 to November 8, 1939

No transactions recorded.

MARY P. S. JOWITT LIBRARY FUND

In Custody of Town Treasurer

		Savings	
		Deposits	Total
On hand September 27, 1936,		\$107.60	\$107.60
On hand at end of year 1936,		\$110.83	\$110.83
On hand at end of year 1937,		\$113.61	\$113.61
On hand at end of year 1938,		\$116.46	\$116.46
On hand November 8, 1939,		\$119.08	\$119.08
September 27, 1936 to December 31, 1938			
Receipts		Payments	
Income:		Added to savings deposits:	
September 27 to December 31,		September 27 to December 31,	
1936,	\$3.23	1936,	\$3.23
1937,	2.78	1937,	2.78
1938,	2.85	1938,	2.85
	<u> </u>		<u> </u>
	\$8.86		\$8.86
	<u> </u>		<u> </u>

January 1 to November 8, 1939

Income,	\$2.62	Added to savings deposits,	\$2.62
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CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

In Custody of Town Treasurer

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand September 27, 1936,	\$19,179.11	\$19,179.11
On hand at end of year 1936,	\$19,129.98	\$19,129.98
On hand at end of year 1937,	\$19,558.68	\$19,558.68
On hand at end of year 1938,	\$20,028.58	\$20,028.58
On hand November 8, 1939,	\$20,747.09	\$20,747.09

September 27, 1936 to December 31, 1938

Receipts	Payments
Withdrawn from savings deposits:	Added to savings deposits:
September 27 to December 31,	1937, \$428.70
1936, \$49.13	1938, 469.90
	_____ \$898.60
Income:	Transferred to town:
September 27 to December 31,	September 27 to December 31,
1936, \$340.08	1936, \$489.21
1937, 538.38	1937, 459.68
1938, 546.86	1938, 601.96
_____ 1,425.32	_____ 1,550.85

Bequests:

September 27 to December 31,	
1936, \$100.00	
1937, 300.00	
1938, 500.00	
_____ 900.00	

Sale of lots and graves:

1937, \$50.00
1938, 25.00

 75.00

 \$2,449.45

 \$2,449.45

January 1 to November 8, 1939

Income, \$253.51

Bequests, 450.00

Sale of lots and
 graves, 15.00

 \$718.51

Added to savings
 deposits,

\$718.51

 \$718.51

TOWN OF CARVER

Balance Sheet — November 8, 1939

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	
Cash:		Temporary Loans:	
In Bank and Office,		In Anticipation of	
Accounts Receivable:	\$56,834.40	Revenue 1939,	\$25,000.00
Taxes:		In Anticipation of	
Levy of 1937,	\$12.00	Reimbursement,	5,000.00
Levy of 1938,	1,196.46		<hr/>
Levy of 1939:		Proceeds of Dog Licenses—Due County,	\$30,000.00
Poll,	\$176.00	Due State,	228.80
Personal,	1,169.15	Reimbursement on Health Case,	10.00
Real Estate,	17,374.60	State Tax and Assessments 1939,	5.50
	<hr/>	Unexpended Appropriation Balances,	8,239.50
	18,719.75	Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus,	20,939.40
		Overlays Reserved for Abatement	1,173.31
		of Taxes;	
		Levy of 1937,	\$12.00
		Levy of 1938,	118.98
		Levy of 1939,	544.43
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		Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	675.41
		Motor Vehicle Excise Tax,	\$36.72
		Tax Titles,	263.84
		Departmental,	3,014.47
		Aid to Highways,	2,172.01
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			5,487.04

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN FOR 1939

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received in fines in 1939		\$10.65
Paid to Town Treasurer :		
January 31	\$.50	
February 28	.95	
April 1	1.00	
May 1	1.05	
June 6	.55	
July 8	1.15	
August 15	.85	
September 5	1.10	
October 3	.90	
October 24	1.10	
December 16	1.05	
December 30	.45	
	<hr/>	\$10.65

Magazines Purchased in 1939 :

 Popular Mechanics
 Readers' Digest
 National Geographic Magazine
 Youth's Companion and American Boy (comb.)
 Child Life
 Life
 Good Housekeeping
 Better Homes and Gardens

Magazines and Papers presented in 1939 :

 Our Dumb Animals
 Specialty Salesman
 Ford News
 Recruiting News
 Opportunity
 Middleboro Gazette
 Plymouth County Farmer
 National News of American Legion Auxiliary

Number of bound volumes after taking inventory	3,584
Adult Fiction	1,602
Juvenile Fiction	414
Adult Non-fiction	1,413
Juvenile Non-fiction	155
Discarded in 1939	743
Circulation for 1938	6,094
Circulation for 1939	6,284
Adult Fiction	2,970
Juvenile Fiction	2,167
Adult Non-fiction	444
Juvenile Non-fiction	245
Magazines	458
Number of borrowers in 1938	387
Borrowers in 1939	422
Books added in 1939	192
By Purchase	126
Presentations	67

Mrs. Isabelle Howes presented 3 books.

64 books were given as a gift by the Division of Public Libraries, State House, Boston. These books are all childrens' books and are on the State Certificate Reading list. Pupils wishing to read these, get a certificate after reading five books; after receiving four of the small certificates, the pupils are presented with a large certificate which may be framed. The "Certificate Reading" books may be found on shelves which have been labeled, purposely for the benefit of the child.

Other shelves have been labeled for the benefit of the High School students, making it easy for them to find reporting books according to their grades.

A field worker spent several weeks helping to re-arrange books after the new stacks had been installed, taking inventory, discarding books in dirty and ragged condition. The catalogue has been worked on too—and the non-fiction is up to date. While discarding worthless books—books which could be mended and were not in too bad condition were sent to the State House to be cleaned and mended by a W. P. A. project there. The

books came back in excellent condition. Several hundred books were mended and will do the service of new ones.

A new set of encyclopedias and a set of Junior Classics were purchased in 1939. New stacks were installed filling in the whole of the space left beside the original stacks. We now have room to expand for some time to come. A set of shelves were built in the south west corner of the Library which is being used for recent non-fiction and for the "Church Reading List."

I feel that the Library is in good shape now, with everything made easy for the borrowers; the Catalogue will be more accurate, (it still is in the State House, at the present writing, being filed.)

MYRTLE L. ATWOOD,

Librarian.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1939.

Scales tested and sealed	25
Number of oil jars	8
Liquid measures	4
Gasolene pumps	4
Kerosene pumps	4
Stops on pumps	30
Grease measuring pumps	5
Meters	21
Avoirdupois weights	20
Adjustments on scales	6
Adjustments on Gasolene pumps	2
Re-tests on Gasolene meters	6
Amount expended for Equipment etc.	8.20
Amount expended for Telephone and postage	2.00
Amount paid for insurance on State Standards	22.20
Sealers Fees received and paid to Town Treasurer	22.27
4 Platform scales 100—500 lb. @ 50c	2.00
2 Counter scales 100 lb. or over @ 50c	1.00
5 Counter scales under 100 lb. @ 10c	.50
2 Spring scales 100 lb. or over @ 50c	1.00
8 Spring scales under 100 lb. @ 10c	.80
4 Computing under 100 lb. @ 10c	.40
20 Avoirdupois weights @ .03c	.60
4 Kerosene pumps @ 10c	
6 Liquid Measures @ .03c	.18
1 Liquid Measure @ 10c	.10
8 Oil Jars @ .03c	.24
21 Gasolene meters 1 in. Inlet	10.50
4 Gasolene pumps	

8 Oil measuring pumps (not sealed)	
5 Grease measuring pumps @ 10c	.50
20 Stops on pumps (gasoline) @ 10c	2.00
10 Stops on pumps (kerosene) @ 10c	1.00
Amount received for Adjusting Charges	1.45
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	\$22.27

EDWIN E. BISBEE,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS—1939

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Inspector of Animals
for the year 1939.

Number of cows inspected	75
Number of young stock	25
Number of other cattle	2
Number of pigs	20
Number of goats	13
Number of sheep	1

Respectfully yours,

EDWIN E. BISBEE.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING, 1939

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Inspector of Slaughtering
for the year 1939.

Number of hours service as Inspector	45
Number of Inspections made	11
Number of miles traveled	84

Respectfully yours,

EDWIN E. BISBEE.

JURY LIST—1939-1940

Appling, Russell E.,—Cranberry Grower	East Carver
Blair, Rufus E., Laborer	Carver
Bond, Charles F., Retired	West Carver
Bumpus, Ellis S., Mechanic	South Carver
Braddock, Milton S., Laborer	North Carver
Burbank, Arthur G., Foreman	Carver
Chandler, Warren L., Cranberry Grower	North Carver
Crowell, Walter N., Retired	South Carver
Dempsey, Daniel H., Engineer	Carver
Griffith, Clyde D., Cranberry Grower	Carver
Holmes, Jesse A., Box Manufacturer	Carver
Johnson, John E., Cranberry Grower	South Carver
Kenney, Thomas L., Foreman	South Carver
Robbins, Maurice F., Farmer	North Carver
Shaw, Ernest W., Cranberry Grower	South Carver
Shaw, Kenneth E., Cranberry Grower	South Carver
Shurtleff, Perez L., Plumber	Carver
Thomas, Luther E., Teamster	West Carver
Tillson, Bernard E., Laborer	South Carver
Harriman, William H., Real Estate	North Carver
Washburn, Ralph E., Cranberry Grower	South Carver

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen :

I herewith submit the annual report of the Police Department of the Town of Carver for the year ending December 31, 1939.

CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON

Assault	8
Assault to Rape	1
Assault to Robbery	1
Assault with a Dangerous Weapon	1
Manslaughter	2
Robbery	3

CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY

Breaking and Entering (Nighttime)	5
Breaking and Entering (Daytime)	6
Larceny	22
Larceny of Automobiles	5
Trespassing	12
Malicious Injury to Property	5

CRIMES AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER

Desertion	1
Disturbing the Peace	2
Drunkenness	12
Idle and Disorderly	1
Lewdness	2
Motor Vehicle Law Violations	76
Neglected Children	8
Neglect of Minor Children	4
Non-support	1
Vagrancy	1
Violation of Veterinary Laws	1

MOTOR VIOLATIONS

Accidents Investigated	25
Allowing an Improper Person to Operate	1
Improper Persons Operating	2
Leaving the Scene of an Accident	3
Operating So As To Endanger	30
Operating Under The Influence of Liquor	6
Operating Without a License	5
Operating After Revocation	2
Operating Without Lights	2
Operating an Uninsured and Unregistered Vehicle	1
Operating Without Authority	5
Parking Without Lights	1
Passing When View is Obstructed	4
Speeding	14

MISCELLANEOUS

Complaints Received	253
Arrests	105
Persons Committed to the Insane Hospital	4
Persons Missing and Recovered	5
Licenses Suspended	37
Registrations Suspended	5
Miles Travelled for Selectmen's Office	1,066
Number of Fires attended	6

Respectfully,

MYRON H. HAYDEN.

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

The following work was done under the Highway Department during 1939.

CHAPTER 81

Appropriation	Town	\$6,500.00
	State	9,750.00

Six miles of Surfaced Roads were treated with tar and Asphalt.

A Non-skid surface was applied to 3,500 ft. of Main St.

The portion of Meadow St. from Rochester Rd. to Pine St. was completed with gravel and 2,000 ft. was surfaced with tar.

1,700 ft. of South Meadow St. and 1,000 ft. of Wareham St. was surfaced with Cut Back Asphalt.

1,000 ft. of wooden railing was replaced with cable guard rail.

The remainder of the appropriation was spent on general maintenance.

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

Appropriation—	Town	\$1,000.00
	State	1,000.00
	County	1,000.00

A Non-Skid surface was applied to 2,500 ft. of Plympton St.

2,100 ft. of Plymouth St. was widened to 21 ft. and surfaced with crushed stone, mixed in place.

W. P. A.

The W. P. A. completed excavating and gravelling High St. from Brook St. to the Bridge at the Maurice Robbins place: and are now excavating and gravelling the portion of Meadow St. from Pine St. to Popes Point St.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK F. WESTON,
Highway Surveyor.

FOREST WARDENS

FOREST WARDEN

John F. Tubman

Tel. Carver 37

DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS

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|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Charles Cherry | Tel. Wareham 9323-12 |
| 2. Russell Appling | Tel. Carver 47-2 |
| 3. Earl Ware | Tel. Carver 50 |
| 4. Norman Holmes | Tel. Carver 10-4 |
| 5. Homer Weston | Tel. Carver 8-12 |
| 6. Arne Johnson | Tel. Carver 23-2 |
| 7. Everett Cassidy | Tel. Carver 1-2 |
| 8. Simon Majahad | Tel. Carver 65-11 |
| 9. Russell Holmes | Tel. Wareham 46W4 |
| 10. Thomas Kenney | Tel. Carver 7-4 |
| 11. Ellis Bumpus | Tel. Carver 28-2 |
| 12. H. W. Jordan | Tel Carver 38 |
| 13. John Morse | Tel. Carver 65-5 |
| 14. Frank Weston | Tel. Carver 26-14 |
| 15. Stephen Gammons | Tel. Wareham 9323-12 |
| 16. Edward Adams | Tel. Carver 74-3 |

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The number of venereal disease cases for the past year has been fewer and less expensive than in 1938, due I think to a better understanding between the Town and State and I must say the State authorities have been very co-operative.

The Town Dumps are a problem and your Board is not at all satisfied with the conduct of some of our citizens who persist in leaving refuse in a place most convenient to them whether it be in the road, at the entrance, or in the grove. More drastic regulations are being considered by the board and it may be necessary again to have certain days in the week for disposal purposes, but a better road and a firmer dump off place would be of considerable benefit. The present location of the North Carver dump it seems to your Board is too close to the school and the houses in that vicinity, and for this reason and the fact (according to the Department of Public Health Engineers) that the Dump is a fire hazard, steps should be taken in the near future to remedy this evil. The Board has permission from the State to re-locate on the edge of Muddy Pond where water can be had in case a fire starts in the dump.

The Town has been quite fortunate in not having any serious epidemics of so-called children's diseases. Diphtheria has been controlled one hundred percent by inoculation methods.

The Department of Public Health Engineers have been on many occasions called on to test water in wells and have always been prompt and thorough.

It has been necessary for the Town to assume the responsibility of two more adult cases of Tuberculosis during 1939 and 1940, making a total of four under treatment

in the Plymouth County Hospital. One case is self supporting having paid eleven hundred dollars to the Town Treasurer during a period of a little more than two years. How much longer this will continue is a question.

The two cases mentioned will of course necessitate an increase in the 1940 appropriation for hospitalization of Tuberculosis patients.

Having inspected the Hospital I am pleased to report and feel that our towns people should look with pride upon this institution. Supplies are purchased at the proper time of the year and in such quantities that assure a very low price, thus lowering operative and maintenance costs. I feel sure in saying that the cost per patient compares favorable with any Tuberculosis institution and in most cases the cost is tremendously lower.

A Tuberculin test will be given our school children this year and the expense is figured in the County assessment which will be about \$3,000.00 higher than in 1939. The Town's part will be negligible. It is generally believed that an increase in this assessment is due to higher operative and maintenance costs which is untrue. In this particular case it is the lack of a proper balance of patients during the year. For example, it takes the same number in personnel to take care of 15 patients in a ward as it would to care for 20. In other words if all the beds were occupied continuously the effect would be to lower the County assessment.

BERNARD W. ROBY,

Chairman Board of Health.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF OLD HOME DAY ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS

Balance in Checking Account, January 1, 1939	\$56.23	
Balance in Savings Bank, January 1, 1939	29.62	
Interest through 1939	1.20	
Town Appropriation	200.00	
Dinner Tickets	722.30	
Ice Cream	103.40	
Tonic, Cigars etc.	71.19	
Ball Game	28.55	
Remnants	9.80	
Fakirs	10.32	
	<hr/>	\$1,232.61

EXPENDITURES

Atwood A. A., Baseballs	\$3.75
Pine Grove Ice Co., Ice	3.10
Plymouth Bottling, Tonic	18.24
Henry S. Pink, Supplies	14.09
Walter Carmichael, Supplies	68.35
Harry Jordan, Supplies	79.88
Danforth's Home Bakery, Rolls	1.44
Joseph Dufresne, Fish and Clams	93.93
W. F. Fickert & Son, Orange Juice and Chocolate	4.98
Farrar's Cigars, Candy etc.	16.78
R. Camarra & Son, Corn	24.50
Farrar's Ice Cream	80.45
Clif Edson, Band	135.00
P. L. Shurtleff, Supplies	44.00
J. A. Holmes, Truck and supplies	29.48
Norman Holmes, truck	5.00

Alonzo F. Ryder, Inc., Supplies	1.13	
The Rogers Print, Posters	6.00	
Helen B. Griffith, Postcards and mailing	5.50	
Shaw's Radio Service, Amplifier	12.00	
E. Cavicchi, Produce	52.25	
Winston B. Leach, Printing pro-		
grams and tickets	14.25	
F. B. & F. P. Goss, Printing	4.20	
The Sachem Press, Dinner		
tickets (1938)	3.95	
Myrtle W. P. Carleton, Auto		
and postage	4.25	
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		\$726.50

SERVICES

Heads of Tables and Waiters	\$47.00	
Norman V. Holmes	30.00	
Perez Shurtleff	30.00	
Alice Shurtleff	6.00	
Gordon Dempsey	1.00	
George Raymond	1.00	
Phyllis Bryant	5.60	
Nellie Bryant	14.00	
Barbara Dempsey	14.00	
Marion Bisbee	14.00	
Orrie Dempsey	14.75	
Michael Clair	1.00	
Earle Ware	20.00	
Albert Raymond	23.50	
John Tubman	21.50	
Everett Thomas	3.00	
Everett Cassidy		4.00
Ammy Bolduc	4.00	
William R. Holmes	1.00	
William Bisbee	11.00	
Stuart Fowler	4.00	
Nelson Thomas	4.00	
Joseph Robidoux	12.00	

Catherine Majahad	5.60
Warren Dionne	1.00
Napoleon Dionne	4.00
Eldred Mosher, Jr.	4.00
Marjorie Telfer	3.00
James Peeckham, Jr.	6.00
Leo Carron	4.00
Helen B. Griffith	2.00
Sadie Wade	12.00
Myrtle W. P. Carleton	7.00
James Thomas	4.00
B. Harrison Cole, Umpire 1939	2.50
A. Vincent Boucher, Umpire 1938	2.00
Myrtle W. P. Carleton, Treasurer	14.00
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	\$357.45
Total Expenses	<hr/>
	\$1,083.95
Receipts for year	\$1,232.61
Expenditures for year	1,083.95
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Balance on hand January 1, 1940	\$148.66

MYRTLE W. P. CARLETON,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

The Plymouth County Extension Service

Twenty-five years of Agricultural leadership has been provided the towns of Plymouth County through the Extension Service, officially recognized as County Aid to Agriculture. During this period of time, great agricultural achievements have been made through the initiative and leadership of agricultural associations, farmers' co-operatives, homemakers' groups, 4-H clubs and their many allied contributing sources.

This service available to all coordinates the efforts of the U. S. D. A., the Massachusetts State College, and local groups in the interest of rural people.

Educational programs are largely determined by county committees, assuring the practicability of meetings, speakers, and subjects of interest to commodity, homemakers' and 4-H club groups.

During 1939 the Extension Service agents directed personally in Plymouth County 813 meetings with an attendance of 21,485 people; made personal contact with 12,237 people on individual problems; and reached 87,000 people through circular letters.

Information and assistance has been available to everyone in the subjects pertaining to Agriculture, Home Economics and the 4-H Club. These include for farmers the subjects of: dairy, poultry, fruits, vegetables, cranberries, forestry, general livestock, farm accounts, and many others. For Homemakers in 1939 emphasis has been placed on Money Management, Nutrition, Child Development, Home Furnishing and Recreation. Additional work has been done in Clothing, Food Preservation, Home

Grounds Improvement. For 4-H activities, clubs in Poultry, Dairy, Garden, Conservation, Handicraft, Food, Canning, Clothing, Home Furnishing and others have been used by 1959 enrolled members in the county.

The people of Carver have been afforded this service in the best manner possible to meet the demands and interest of groups and individuals. The support of each town financially and morally is greatly appreciated by the Extension Service, and by the people who know its value as an influence in adult education.

ALMIRA C. HOLMES,

Town Director.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

CARVER SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Russell E. Shaw, Chairman, North Carver
Term expires 1940
Clyde D. Griffith, Secretary, Carver Term expires 1941
Winston B. Leach, Carver Term expires 1942
Donald P. Mattoon, Superintendent of Schools
10 Elm Street, Middleboro, Tel. Midd. 405-W

STAFF

Center School—Helen H. Griffith, Principal

Anne R. McFarlin
Marion L. Griffith
Henry M. Shaw
Dorothy W. Wilbur

North School—Gladys E. Burgess, Principal
Gertrude R. Currier

Benjamin Ellis School—Florence L. Gordon, Principal
Nellie Squire

Music Supervisor—Marguary MacCleave, Hanson

Manual Training—Arnold T. Telfer, North Carver

School Physician—Dr. L. M. Chase, North Carver

School Nurse—Mary E. Fuller, East Taunton, R. F. D.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1939

Fall Term: Begins Wed. Sept. 6. Closes Thurs. Dec. 21.

Holidays: Oct. 12, Oct. 13, Oct. 27, Nov. 30, Dec. 1.

1940

Winter Term: Begins Wed. Jan. 3. Closes Fri., April 12.

Holidays: Winter Vacation, Feb. 22—26; Spring Vacation, April 15—19.

Spring Term: Begins Monday, April 22, Closes Friday, June 14.

Graduation: Thursday, June 13.

Schools close: Friday, June 14.

Fall Term: Begins Wed., Sept. 4. Closes Fri., Dec. 20.

Holidays: Oct. 25, Nov. 11, Nov. 28, Nov. 29.

1941

Winter Term: Begins Monday, Jan. 6.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

To the Citizens of the Town of Carver :

We have welcomed a new member on the School Committee this year in the person of Winston B. Leach. This is the first change in the membership of the committee in five years.

The committee has effected two changes during the year which should be noted here :

1. The decision to send secondary school pupils to Plymouth High School rather than to Middleboro High School. This change has been made as gradual as possible by requiring freshmen to enter at Plymouth and offering parents a choice between the two schools for all pupils previously enrolled. The choice by parents was intended to minimize the number of program changes, and the breaking of social contacts, both of which might adversely effect the children if they were not in favor of a change. Plymouth offered a much lower rate of tuition than Middleboro had been charging. The decision to change resulted in a reduction of the rate on pupils remaining in Middleboro.

2. The awarding of contracts for transportation on a mileage basis, with a fixed rate per mile for equipment of a given size, traveling with-in a given mileage range per day.

Both of these changes were prompted by a desire to obtain the best possible service at the lowest possible cost to the town. We hope that the future will prove our judgment to have been sound.

A new water pump has been installed in the Center School together with a new system for pumping drinking water. This gives the children a supply of fresh drinking water at all times.

Repairs were made on the furnace at the North School which have resulted in more satisfactory heating in that building.

Plans are now being considered for further improvement at the North School. These plans will not provide for a new building with modern facilities such as may be desired by some people. They will provide for much needed improvements for the present, at a cost low enough so that a new building may still be a possibility with-in a few years.

December 30, 1939.

RUSSELL E. SHAW, Ch.
CLYDE D. GRIFFITH,
WINSTON B. LEACH.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1939

Appropriation	\$32,970.00
Pratt Fund	111.00
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	\$33,081.00
Expenditures	31,928.02
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Balance Unexpended	\$1,152.98

SUPERVISION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

School Committee:

Salary	\$428.00
Expenses	127.85

Superintendent:

Salary	861.08
Travel	167.73
Expenses	22.47

School Census	40.00
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Attendance Officer	0.00
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Clerical Assistant	0.00
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\$1,647.13

EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Music Supervisor	\$350.00
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Teachers and Substitutes	9,444.04
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Textbooks	573.25
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Supplies	597.03
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\$10,964.32

OPERATING EXPENSES

Janitors' Salaries	1,260.00
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Fuel	1,083.25
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Cleaning, Lights, Tel. Supp.	509.31
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\$2,852.56

MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY

Repairs	\$433.75	
Boiler Inspection	10.00	
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AUXILIARY AGENCIES

Transportation, High	\$4,705.08	
Transportation, Local	4,571.25	
Tuition, High School	5,813.42	
Insurance on Buildings	0.00	
Health	275.50	
Miscellaneous Aux. Agencies	108.25	
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OUTLAYS

New Equipment	\$546.76	
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Total Expenditures	<hr/>	\$31,928.02
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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Appropriation 1939	\$40.00	
Expended 1939	28.20	
Balance Unexpended	\$11.80	
Due Town of Carver by Middleborough		\$747.60
Due Town of Middleboro by Carver		747.60

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Committee of Carver, Massachusetts:

This, my second annual report, contains a brief account of our work during the last twelve months and indicates some results of a study of local school problems.

TEACHERS

The School Department takes pride in the efficiency of its several experienced teachers. The pupils of Carver reflect the fine instruction and training in habits and studies given them by the teachers who have guided the classroom and playground activities for several years.

The changes in personnel have been limited, fortunately, to our younger and less experienced teachers. Miss Jeanne H. Lockhart secured a position in Middleboro and Miss Marjorie H. Burr accepted a contract in Arlington. Another teacher was offered a contract for a position in a larger center at a much larger salary a few weeks after school opened in September, but she honored her contract with the School Department and did not seek a release. Miss Gertrude R. Currier of North Andover, graduate of the four-year course, with degree, at the Bridgewater State Teachers College, was hired for Miss Lockhart's place at North Carver. Miss Currier did her practice teaching in Middleboro and has had some experience teaching Grades I—IV at the North Reading State Sanatorium. For Miss Burr's position, Miss Dorothy W. Wilbur was selected. She is a graduate of the Rhode Island State College, degree in home economics, and lives in Cranston. The beginning teachers accepted salaries of \$850 each.

TEACHERS' MEETINGS

Several teachers' meetings have been held during the year. Some of the topics discussed were:

Report Cards
Reading System
Health Matters
Building Management
Rural School Conference Reports

The School Department sent one teacher as its representative to the Rural School Conference at Amherst last spring. As a part of the plan to benefit all teachers in the Superintendency Union, the representatives from Carver, Lakeville, and Rochester gave reports before groups of teachers in the three towns. In this way, the influence of the Conference was extended to all teachers in Union No. 47.

REPORT CARDS

The teachers of the Superintendency Union have studied different types of Report Cards and have devised one which satisfies our needs. It provides for ratings in "habits" as well as "achievement" in school studies. Ratings are given three times a year in the first three grades, and five times a year in grades four, five, and six. Habits which are considered worthy of development are:

Speech—Speaks distinctly
Posture—Has good posture
Cleanliness—Has habits of cleanliness
Obedience—Responds promptly
Follows simple directions
Perseverance—Is persistent in overcoming difficulties
Satisfactorily completes work begun
Neatness—Has habits of neatness
Cooperation—Works and plays fairly with others
Takes active part in plays and games
Thrift—Takes care of school property and materials
Industry—Keeps well occupied at all times
Dependability—Depends upon himself whenever possible

The ratings on the achievement in school studies differ with the grade. For example, the record of achievement for the primary grades shows:

Grade I	Grades II, III
Reading	Reading
	Reading to
	Others
	Understanding What
	He Reads
	Developing New
	Words by Him-
	self
Expression	Expression
Oral	Oral
	Written
Number Work	Arithmetic
	Computation
	Problem-Solv-
	ing
	Handwriting
	Spelling

READING SYSTEM

The teachers in the Carver—Lakeville—Rochester Union made a careful study of the problem of reading during the last school year. The procedure followed, which resulted in the selection of a Reading Series, may be briefly stated as follows:

1. Informal discussions during the fall of 1938 of the reading problem.
2. Tentative selection of good reading series from a study of reports in professional literature.
3. Expositions by Reading Demonstrators at several teachers' meetings, and purchase of sets for the teachers of each grade.
4. Study of basic vocabulary facts and phonograms for primers and first readers.

5. Comparison of basal reading books—45 questions answered by each teacher on each of five sets of books. These questions covered binding, paper, printing, content, pictures, vocabulary, method, supplementary materials and aids (workbook, manual, charts, cards, readers, supervisors), authorship, cost.
6. Meetings of Primary and Intermediate Grade teachers to discuss the various readers and to make a tentative selection.
7. A two-day demonstration in August at the Benjamin Ellis School in South Carver, of the series selected. At these sessions, the teachers were the pupils and the Reading Demonstrator was teacher. All but two of the teachers in the Union attended these meetings, and most of the substitute teachers took the time for these, too.

It was the opinion of the majority of the teachers participating in the selection of basal readers for the schools of Carver—Lakeville—Rochester that the CHILD-DEVELOPMENT READERS represented the best series to purchase, considering all factors. Aside from the great educational values in the books, there is the additional factor of the services of an excellent Reading Demonstrator to help the teachers. Altogether, in use, this series is proving to be a very efficient and economical one to purchase.

HEALTH:

Pre-School Visits by the School Nurse

The work of the School Nurse during the school year was extended to include the visits to homes from which pupils may enter the first grade the following September. In December, after the Census Taker has completed the enumeration, the School Nurse locates the homes of pre-school children. Then, as she has calls to make in a particular locality, she visits these prospective first-grade

pupils during the Winter and Spring, all before school closes in June. She encourages each parent to have:

1. A Birth Certificate ready for presentation to the first-grade teacher at the opening of school.
2. A Vaccination Certificate to be presented with the Birth Certificate.
3. A Health Record—report on the dates of contagious diseases.
4. A Health Certificate from the School Doctor, if the child's condition seems to warrant this.
5. A Permit for Under-Age Entrance from the Superintendent of Schools, if this is necessary for entrance on trial for a six-week's period.
6. Dental work done.
7. Clothes, shoes, and lunch box for the opening day.

In August, the School Nurse makes a follow-up visit to those homes where the need is evident.

COLDS

When a child is developing a cold, the School Department encourages a parent to keep the pupil at home for a day or two until the child's strength is restored and the danger of further infection is reduced. In the months of February, March, April, May and June 1939, the statements which parents wrote to the teachers for the three towns in the Union as excuses for absence were listed. Of a total of 498, the following were the larger items:

Colds	268	All others:	
Grippe	52	Chicken pox, opera-	
Mumps	30	tion, sorenesses,	
Sore Throat	20	poisoning, etc.	90
Measles	15		
Others starting from or with a cold	23		
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	408		

408 of a total of 498 illnesses reported during five months were, or started with a cold. Beware of colds!!

DENTAL CLINIC

The School Department feels that there are distinct advantages in having the dental work performed in each school building. Children need not be transported in cars uninsured for the purpose to some central office at a distance, thereby avoiding highway accidents. There is less time lost from school lessons. Furthermore, it wished to extend the dental program, making it available to all pupils, and to finance the cost by having a reasonable charge for each dental operation. To this end, the Board of Health and the School Committee agreed to cooperate in promoting the Dental Clinic.

1. The Dental Service shall be made available to all pupils in Grades 1—8.

2. Part of the cost for each pupil's dental work shall be paid from the funds raised at the Town Meeting, thus giving a chance for more to be treated with limited funds, and keeping the appropriation small.

3. The larger portion of the cost of each dental operation shall be paid by those parents who desire the work done.

4. A School Dentist, graduate of the Tufts Dental College, with a Certificate from the Forsyth Dental Infirmary for Children, shall be hired and paid 60c per dental operation.

5. The work shall be done in each school building.

6. The Board of Health shall approve the payment of 10c from the appropriation for dental service for each operation performed by the School Dentist and the full cost for certain certified cases.

7. The School Committee shall furnish the services of the School Nurse on those days when she is regularly employed for the school health program, provide a satis-

factory place for the dental work to be done, allow pupils to be dismissed from class and study periods to receive dental treatment, and give such minor materials, supplies, and services as may be necessary.

8. The School Dentist shall furnish equipment which is to include three sets of dental instruments, and electric sterilizer, a dental chair, professional services, preliminary examinations, dental materials and supplies, and shall accept 60c per operation.

9. The parents are to decide whether the Family Dentist or the School Dentist is to perform needed dental treatment, give the School Department a written statement of treatments which will be paid for at 50c an operation, and send the money needed to the teacher at the time the School Dentist does the work.

There has been excellent cooperation in the dental program and the results confirm the wisdom of the change.

VISUAL EDUCATION

The instruction at the Center School has been enriched by the addition of two pieces of apparatus for visual education. One device is an opaque projector, showing on a screen pictures, postcards, charts, drawing, and any objects through which light cannot be transmitted successfully. The other machine is a slide film projector, using 33 mm. films and displaying one frame on a reel at a time. These are proving to be very serviceable.

PUBLIC PROGRAMS

"The Spirit of Christmas" and "Why The Chimes Rang" were two of the programs given by pupils near the close of the year. Many parents attended these and witnessed their children taking part.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE HOURS

Parents have availed themselves of the opportunity to discuss school matters with the Superintendent of Schools

by visiting him during his office hours. The new list follows:

3:00—5:15 p. m. School Committee Room—

Mondays, unless indicated

1940	1940
Winter and Spring	Fall
Tuesday, January 2	Tuesday, September 16
“ February 5	“ October 14
“ March 18	“ November 4
“ April 1	“ December 2
“ May 6	1941
“ June 3	Winter
“ July 1	Tuesday, January 6
	“ February 3

Additional dates will appear on notices on the office door.

CONCLUSION

Improvement in the School Department over an extended period comes through the united efforts of all. During the year, parents, teachers, agents, and pupils have been generally helpful, recognizing, it is hoped, that co-operation, cheerfulness, courtesy, and commonsense are integral parts of our program.

As School Committee members, you have given generously of your time, interest, energy, and support. It is a pleasure to have had such fine working conditions for the consideration and fulfillment of aspects of our school plans. Thank you sincerely for your encouragement, cordiality, and patience.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD P. MATTOON,

Superintendent.

HEALTH SUPERVISION

SCHOOL NURSE: Mrs. Mary E. Fuller, East Taunton

Number of school visits:	112
Number of home visits:	150
Number of pre-school visits in August:	34
Number of trips with children to school physician:	3
Number of trips with children to dentist:	7
Number of trips with children to their homes:	9

ANNUAL EXAMINATION BY SCHOOL

PHYSICIAN: Dr. L. M. Chase, North Carver

Number of children examined in Grades I—VIII:	204
Number of pupils with physical defects:	69
Number of physical defects:	118
Number of notices sent home for vision defects:	10
Number of notices sent home for tonsils and adenoids:	37
Number of pupils with physical defects corrected:	5
Number of physical defects corrected:	5

DENTAL CLINIC: Dr. E. F. Tobin, Brookline

Number of pupils examined in Grades I—VIII:	201
Number of pupils with dental defects:	164
Number of dental defects:	774

DIPHTHERIA PREVENTION CLINIC:

(Board of Health) Dr. L. M. Chase

Number of pre-school children immunized:	7
Number of pupils immunized in Grades I—II:	13

AGE—GRADE DISTRIBUTION—OCTOBER 1, 1939

Ages		5—7 yrs.	7—14 yrs.	14—16 yrs.	16—21 yrs.	Totals
Elementary		Boys—Girls				
Grade	I	12—9	1—3			25
	II	3—2	15—8			28
	III		15—12			27
	IV		14—13			27
	V		17—13			30
	VI		15—6			21
	VII		12—9	0—2		23
	VIII		5—8	10—2		25
High Schools						— 206
	IX			6—4	1—0	11
	X			9—8	1—2	20
	XI			1—3	6—7	17
	XII				4—3	7
						— 55
Total Elementary and High						261
In Other Schools		0—1			3—2	6
Pre-School		18—11				29
Out of School				6—5	57—58	126

GRADUATION EXERCISES
CARVER GRAMMAR SCHOOL

June 15, 1939

THE MARCH ACROSS THE CONTINENT

The Voice of America	<i>Betty Shurtleff</i>
Herald	<i>Muriel Braddock</i>

Prologue

Virginia	<i>Gordon Dempsey</i>
	<i>Ralph Linton</i>
Plymouth	<i>Mary Corshia</i>
	<i>John Agnone</i>
	<i>Dorothy Thomas</i>
New Amsterdam	<i>Mary Salmi</i>
	<i>David Lindros</i>

The Cotton Gin

Eli Whitney	<i>Robert Agnone</i>
Mrs. Greene	<i>Bessie Braddock</i>
Mr. Francis	<i>Francis Agnone</i>
Mr. Miller	<i>Jack Shaw</i>
Harriet	<i>Frances Fernandes</i>
Miss Rose	<i>Rose Majahad</i>
Overseer	<i>Lawyer Smith</i>

Singers

<i>Ernest Gomes</i>	<i>Anibel Timas</i>	<i>John Silva</i>
<i>Joseph Silva</i>	<i>Francis Silva</i>	

Becky's Christmas Turkey

Becky	<i>Bertha Chandler</i>
Dora	<i>Florence Smith</i>
Simon Kenton	<i>Robert Barnes</i>
George Rogers Clark	<i>Oscar Niemi</i>
Jeff Smoke	<i>Everett Smith</i>
Plainsmen	<i>John Silva</i>
	<i>Norman Manseau</i>

The Covered Wagon Train

Captain	<i>Jack Shaw</i>
Johnathan Starbuck	<i>Francis Agnone</i>

Tim Cooper	<i>Joseph Pimental</i>
Slim	<i>Everett Smith</i>
Texas	<i>Lawyer Smith</i>
Wally	<i>Ralph Chandler</i>
Joe	<i>Francis Silva</i>
Lacy	<i>Robert Agnone</i>
Willie	<i>Kenneth Telfer</i>
Captain's Wife	<i>Bertha Chandler</i>
Women	<i>Frances Fernandes</i> <i>Enid Wainio</i>

The Formation of the Vigilantes

Jake	<i>Louis Bryant</i>
Mackenzie	<i>Hugo Salminen</i>
Mrs. Crowell	<i>Elsie Pratt</i>
Mrs. Howell	<i>Bertha Chandler</i>
Mr. Howell	<i>Robert Barnes</i>
Helen	<i>Ruth Maki</i>
Ada	<i>Natalie Bumpus</i>
Pete	<i>Harry Morris</i>
Milt	<i>Leslie Ronni</i>
Mrs. Henry	<i>Shirley Thomas</i>

Spanish Settlers

<i>Eva Fernandes</i>	<i>Rose Thatcher</i>	<i>Anibel Timas</i>
<i>Ernest Gomes</i>	<i>Joseph Silva</i>	<i>Francis Silva</i>

(This presentation was coached by Mrs. Enid Crosier.)

March	<i>Mrs. Marjorie Telfer</i>
Invocation	<i>Rev. Orville Ullom</i>
Songs	<i>Chorus</i>
<i>Lament for Ali Bey</i>	<i>Schubert</i>
<i>Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair</i>	<i>Foster</i>

Presentation of Diplomas to Graduates

Russell E. Shaw, Chairman, Carver School Board

Songs	<i>Chorus</i>
<i>Vale of Tuoni</i>	<i>Sibelius</i>
<i>Water Lilies</i>	<i>Linders</i>
Benediction	<i>Rev. Orville Ullom</i>

GRADUATES

Francis Thomas Agnone	Oscar William Niemi
Robert Earle Barnes	Everett James Smith
Muriel Phyllis Braddock	Florence Isabel Smith
Natalie Isabel Bumpus	Joseph Anthony Pimental
Bertha Blanche Chandler	Hugo William Salminen
Ralph Homer Chandler	John Arthur Shaw
Ruth Corine Maki	Betty Brooks Shurtleff
Norman Lorenzo Manseau	John James Silva
Shirley Jeanne Thomas	

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENCY UNION NO. 47

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

At the Annual Meeting of the School Superintendency Union No. 47, including the towns of Carver, Lakeville, and Rochester, it was voted that a report by the Secretary of the Union be published annually in each Town Report, to enable the voters to have a better understanding of the Union, its aims and problems. This Union has been in existence since 1902, but this is one of the first published reports of its work. The members of the school committees of the three towns comprise the Union Committee of nine members, of which Mr. Samuel H. Corse of Rochester

is the present Chairman. The Union Committee meets at least once a year, considers business which may come before it, elects officers, hears reports, selects Union agents, and elects a Superintendent of Schools for a term of three years. The services and salary of the Superintendent are shared on equitable basis.

At the April 1939 meeting, a written report was submitted by the Superintendent, Mr. Mattoon. This report incorporated a review of the policies of the three committees, their methods of administering school affairs, suggestions for closer cooperation on educational projects, and the purchase of school materials to the mutual benefit of each town. This comparison of the various problems confronting the school committees and their methods of solving them has already proved helpful and has enabled each committee to benefit through this closer cooperation.

Under Mr. Mattoon's superintendence, the teaching methods of the three towns have been more closely related, and materials standardized. To promote this, the teachers in the Union have met at regular intervals through the year for lectures and general discussions of their mutual professional problems. The results of these changes are beneficial.

At the November 1939 meeting in Lakeville, a written report of the Superintendent's activities was presented, and three Lakeville teachers gave demonstrations of the new reading series.

In the School Report for each Town, the matters of State Reimbursement for the Superintendent and financial matters of his salary, travel, and clerical assistance are entered.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN N. PEIRCE,

Secretary,

School Superintendency Union No. 47.

TOWN WARRANT AND REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Plymouth, ss. To either of the Constables of the Town of Carver, Plymouth County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Carver qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Carver on Monday, the fourth day of March 1940, at two o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers, the following officers to be voted for all on one ballot, viz;— Moderator, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, Three Auditors, Three Constables, Three Herring Committeemen, one Tree Warden, and one Highway Surveyor, each for one year. One Assessor, One Selectman, One School Committeeman, One Cemetery Commissioner, One Park Commissioner, One Member of Public Welfare and Two Library Trustees, each for Three years, and to vote by ballot "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following questions: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of all alcoholic beverage?" and "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of wines and malt beverages?"

The polls will be open for at least four hours.

And you are directed to further notify said Inhabitants of said town that as soon as the ballots have been counted the meeting will adjourn to Tuesday, March 5th, 1940, at nine o'clock A. M. and at that time will reconvene at said Town Hall in said Carver, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 2. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 3. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) from the free cash in the town treasury for the sole purpose of meeting charges against the cemetery funds in the town treasury, all monies expended under this vote to be refunded before the end of the current year.

Article 4. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept the cemetery fund or funds paid into the town treasury under the perpetual care statutes, or act anything thereon.

Article 5. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend suits for or against the Town.

Article 6. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 7. To see what disposition the town will make of the dog fund.

Article 7. Recommended by Finance Committee to be added to Library Account.

Article 8. To see what amount the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture (Plymouth County Extension Service) and to choose a town director as provided in Sections 41 and 42 Revised Chapter 128 of the General Laws and act thereon.

Article 8. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 9. To see what pay the Town will vote the Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes and other Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Article 9. Recommended by Finance Committee that the pay be the same as last year.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) provided allotments are received from the State and County, under Chapter 90 Maintenance, General Laws, for Plymouth Street. Said appropriation to be expended in the proportion of one-third by the Town, one-third by the State, and one-third by the County, based on the sums allotted by State and County, and act thereon or thereto.

Article 10. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the overlay reserve account to 1940 Reserve Account, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or such other sum of money as may be voted the 1940 Reserve Account by the Town.

Article 11. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of remodel-

ing and reconstructing the North schoolhouse and authorize the borrowing of any or all of the sum appropriated under authority of Chapter 233 of the Acts of 1938, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 12. Recommended by Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee further recommends that, in the event of favorable action on Article 12, a Building Committee be appointed consisting of three persons, one to be chosen by the School Committee from the membership of that body, one to be designated by the Moderator and one by the Chairman of the Finance Committee; and that said Building Committee be directed to seek plans and estimates of cost beside those already in the possession of the School Committee, to have proper specifications prepared, to invite bids for the work to be done and material furnished and to proceed at their discretion to carry the proposed improvements into effect.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Welfare to use the Federal Government Reimbursement for administration, and to act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 13. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 14. To choose all necessary Town officers not elected by ballot.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand one hundred eighty two dollars and seventy cents (\$2,182.70) to pay outstanding Public Welfare bills of 1939, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 15. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Clerk to sell the remaining Town Histories for

one dollar per copy, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 16. Recommended by the Finance Committee that the Histories be sold at \$2.00 per copy, and that the Town Clerk be requested to arrange that these books be offered for sale on Old Home Day.

Article 17. To see what action the Town will take in regard to putting in proper condition the Tillson Pratt lot and gravestones, and at anything thereon.

Article 17. Recommended by the Finance Committee that the Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to make plans for putting the Tillson Pratt lot in the Center Cemetery in proper condition, providing suitable grave-stone or gravestones, to ascertain the cost thereof, to solicit, by private contributions, the money needed to meet the expense incurred, and, when sufficient funds have been secured, to carry the project to completion.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the revision of the Town By-Laws, and act anything thereon.

Article 18. Recommended by Finance Committee that the report of the By-Laws Committee be adopted.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eighty two dollars and sixty cents (\$82.60) to pay outstanding Health bills of 1939, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 19. Recommended by Finance Committee.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, at the several places designated by vote of the town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 2nd day of February in the
year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty.

EARL B. WARE,
ARTHUR W. PETERSON,
BERNARD W. ROBY,

Selectmen of Carver.

Finance Committee,

WILLIAM I. WARD, Chairman
HARRISON W. JORDAN, Secretary.

SUMMARY OF SELECTMEN OF APPROPRIATIONS, BALANCES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Tabulated for the Use of the Voters in the Town Meeting, March 5, 1940.

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/30/39 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
General Government	\$6,360.00		\$6,359.31		\$0.69	\$6,875.00
Unclassified and Memorial Day	500.00					
Health	2,200.00		431.04		68.96	500.00
Approp. 12/8/39 from sur- plus revenue	575.00					
Total	<u>\$2,775.00</u>		2,775.00			3,647.00
1939 Unpaid bills						82.60
Public Welfare	9,000.00					
Approp. 12/8/39 from sur- plus revenue	1,800.00					
Total	<u>\$10,800.00</u>		10,799.88		.12	11,500.00
Administration						500.00
1939 Unpaid Bills						2,182.70
Work Relief	100.00					
Balance 1/1/39		\$150.81				
Total \$250.81			157.25	\$93.56	100.00	100.00

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/30/39 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Old Age Assistance						
Approp. 12/8/39 from sur-	7,000.00					
plus revenue	600.00					
Refund		5.00				
U. S. Grant		5,844.88				
Total \$13,449.88			13,383.47		66.41	7,500.00
Administration						
Aid to Dependent Children	1,000.00					400.00
U. S. Grant		320.99				
Total \$1,320.99			1,045.58		275.41	960.00
Administration						
Soldiers' Relief	600.00		554.00		46.00	40.00
Police	2,750.00		2,694.38		55.62	700.00
Public Safety	150.00		128.98		21.02	2,210.00
ROADS						150.00
Chapter 81	6,500.00					
State		9,749.17				
Total \$16,249.17			16,249.17			6,500.00
Chap. 90 Purchase St.						
Town approp. 1938		750.00				
State 1938		823.55				
County 1938		350.00				
State 1939		624.88				

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/30/39 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
County 1939		374.21				
Total receipts		<u>\$2,922.64</u>				
Spent 1938—\$2,535.25						
Spent 1939			361.61		\$25.78	
Chap. 90 East Head Road						
Town approp. 1938		1,250.00				
State 1938		1,984.52				
County 1938		950.00				
State 1939		450.79				
County 1939		267.65				
Total receipts		<u>\$4,902.96</u>				
Spent 1938—\$4,356.41						
Spent 1939			512.44		34.11	
Chap. 90 Maintenance						
Approp. 5/15/39 from sur-						
plus Revenue	\$1,000.00					
State		999.63				
County		999.62				
Total \$2,999.25			2,998.88		.37	1,000.00
Meadow St.	2,250.00		2,230.46		19.54	
Road Machinery	500.00		171.26		328.74	600.00

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/30/39 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
General Highway	900.00		891.60		8.40	800.00
Bridges	500.00		433.28			700.00
Removal of Snow	900.00				66.72	
Approp. 12/8/39 from sur- plus Revenue		500.00				
Total \$1,400.00			1,390.22		9.78	900.00
W. P. A.						
Balance 1/1/39	4,000.00					
Approp. 9/15/39 from sur- plus Revenue	1,000.00	88.45				
12/16/39 transferred from Reserve Fund		150.00				
Total—\$5,238.43			5,175.34	63.09		5,000.00
Fires	500.00		258.48		241.52	450.00
Fire Equipment	665.00		664.62		.38	600.00
Central Cemetery Land Pur- chase				5.00		
Cemetery Account	750.00					
Transf. from Central Cem.		90.00			.45	910.00
Fence Account			839.55			
Total \$840.00			297.42		2.58	300.00
Parks	300.00					
Spec. Approp. for Flag	50.00		26.99		23.01	

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/30/39 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Library	450.00					
Library Dog Fund		276.57	725.40		1.17	240.00
Total \$726.57						240.00
Weights and Measures	150.00		132.40		17.60	150.00
Tree Warden	800.00		799.12		.88	750.00
Gypsy Moth	1,219.62		1,169.07		50.55	1,219.62
Schools	32,970.00					
Schools Pratt Fund		111.00				
Total \$33,081.00			31,928.02		1,152.98	33,252.40
School Dental Clinic	100.00		100.00			100.00
Vocational Training	40.00		28.20		11.80	
Interest	150.00		80.00		70.00	135.00
Aid to Agriculture	100.00		100.00			100.00
American Legion Rent	100.00		100.00			100.00
Old Home Day	200.00		200.00			200.00
By Laws Committee				25.00		
Land Damage High and Brook Streets						
Balance 1/1/39		500.00	491.82	8.18		
Land Damage Meadow St.	100.00			100.00		
Workmen's Comp. Ins.	500.00		443.14		56.86	444.00
Reserve Fund	*500.00					

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/30/39 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Transf. to W. P. A. account \$150.00						
Bal. of \$350.00 returned to Overlay reserve acct.						

*From Overlay reserve account

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